



# THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

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BY THE GOVERNOR:

**WHEREAS:** On January 30, 2019, pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 15-6-82, an Executive Order was issued appointing members to a committee charged with investigating the Clerk of the Superior Court of McIntosh County, Ms. Rebecca McFerrin; and

**WHEREAS:** The committee issued its report on March 1, 2019, and on March 25, 2019, by Executive Order 03.25.19.02, and pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 15-6-82, Ms. Rebecca McFerrin was suspended from the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of McIntosh County for a period of sixty days; and

**WHEREAS:** As directed in Executive Order 03.25.19.02, District Attorney Tom Durden filed a Petition for Removal of Clerk of Superior Court, on April 17, 2019; and

**WHEREAS:** In a letter dated, April 23, 2019, District Attorney Durden requested a 30-day extension due to limited space and time resources, to accommodate an alternate judge, and to provide additional preparation time.

**NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY**

**ORDERED:** That a 30-day extension, to begin on May 25, 2019, is hereby granted.

This 10<sup>TH</sup> day of May, 2019.

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GOVERNOR