



# THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

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BY THE GOVERNOR:

**WHEREAS:** On May 12, 2016, the City of Marietta Councilman representing Ward 5 was convicted of a felony; and

**WHEREAS:** By resolution entitled "Declaration of Suspension," the Mayor and Council for the City of Marietta confirmed the suspension and requested the appointment of a temporary replacement to represent Ward 5.

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

**ORDERED:** That pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 45-5-6.1(c)(1), Mr. Ruben Sands is hereby appointed to fill the temporary vacancy in the office of Ward 5 Councilman for the City of Marietta effective as provided in law.

This 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016.

*Nathan Deal*

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GOVERNOR