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EXECUTIVE ORDER PROCLAIMING CONDITIONS AS DEFINED IN  
SECTIONS 10-3-103 and 10-3-302, MCA,  
EXIST IN MONTANA

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WHEREAS, unseasonably dry conditions and high winds have combined to create serious fire conditions in identified areas of the state, including the Beartooth Complex area, and

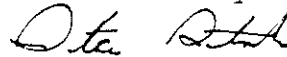
WHEREAS, existing conditions have otherwise created a condition of emergency as defined by Section 10-3-103, MCA, and

WHEREAS, such proclamation shall permit the use and deployment of equipment and personnel services of the Montana National Guard.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, STAN STEPHENS, Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor under the Constitution of the State of Montana, Title 10, Chapter 3, MCA, and under other applicable statutes, do hereby declare that conditions as defined in Sections 10-3-103, 10-3-302, MCA, exist in the State of Montana.

This Order is effective immediately.

GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this 14th day of November, in the year of our LORD, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety.



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STAN STEPHENS  
Governor