AUTHORIZATION FOR PROMULGATION OF FINAL RULE

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY OFFICE OF FORESTRY

RE: Office of Forestry – Prescribed Burner Certification LAC 7:XXXIX.907-909

I, Mike Strain, DVM, Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry, have proposed for promulgation the above-cited rules and regulations. The steps required by the Administrative Procedure Act, La. R.S. 49:950 et seq., for promulgation of these rules and regulations have been substantially complied with, except for the steps of formal submission of the final rule and publication in the State Register.

The Notice of Intent to take the proposed action was published in the State Register at LR 48:5, pages 1296-1297 (May 20, 2022). More than 90 days, but less than one year, has elapsed since the publishing of the Notice of Intent.

Therefore, I, in my official capacity as commissioner of agriculture and forestry, hereby authorize these rules and regulations to be submitted for promulgation, which become effective when published in the State Register.

MIKE STRAIN, DVM

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY