

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

WHEREAS: Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 44-1-13, the Department of Public Safety shall have the authorization to regulate and control the towing of trespassing vehicles on private property if such towing is performed without the prior consent or authorization of the owner or operator of the vehicle, provided that there shall have been conspicuously posted on the private property notice that any trespassing vehicle which is not authorized to be at the place where it is found may be removed at the expense of the owner of the vehicle;

WHEREAS: Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 44-1-13, the Department's authorization includes the authority to set just and reasonable rates, fares, and charges for services related to the removal, storage, and required notification to owners of such towed vehicles; and

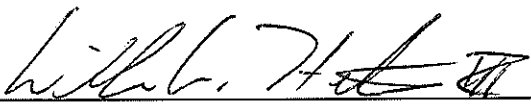
WHEREAS: On June 13, 2024, the Board of Public Safety voted upon and approved the adoption of Georgia Department of Public Safety Maximum Rate Tariff No. 5 pertaining to Intrastate Rates and Charges for Non-Consensual Towing, to be effective beginning June 17, 2024;

Now, therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Commissioner of the Georgia Department of Public Safety, it is hereby

ORDERED: That the Department of Public Safety adopt Georgia Department of Public Safety Maximum Rate Tariff No. 5 (attached hereto) pertaining to Intrastate Rates and Charges for Non-Consensual Towing, to be effective beginning June 17, 2024; it is further

ORDERED: That notice of the adoption of said tariff and the text of said tariff be placed upon the Department's website and the website of the Motor Carrier Compliance Division.

SO ORDERED this 13th day of June, 2024.



Colonel W. W. Hitchens, III