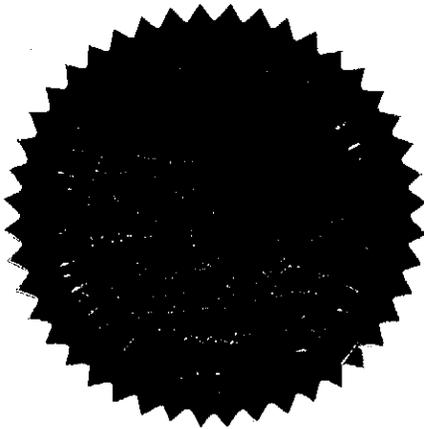


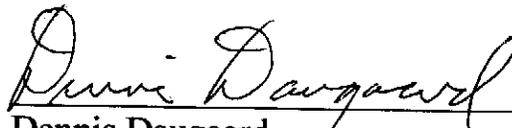
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-14

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the state of South Dakota, I hereby declare that the offices for state government shall be administratively closed on Friday, the 23rd day of November, 2012 and Monday, the 24th day of December, 2012.

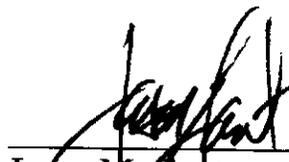
This declaration shall apply only to state employees within the Executive Branch of state government under the immediate control of the governor. All other units of government and the private business sector shall make independent judgments on this matter.

Dated in Pierre, South Dakota, this 29th day of October, 2012.




Dennis Daugaard
Governor of South Dakota

ATTEST:


Jason M. Gant
Secretary of State