



MIKE CAUSEY
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

ORDER

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WHEREAS, pursuant to North Carolina General Statute § 58-2-46, whenever a state of disaster is proclaimed for the State or for an area within the State under N.C.G.S. § 166A-19.1 or whenever the President of the United States has issued a major disaster declaration for the State or for an area within the State under the Stafford Act, 42 U.S.C. § 5121, et seq., as amended, the Commissioner of Insurance may issue an order the section effective for the specific disaster; and

WHEREAS, as a result of Tropical Storm Helene, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has issued a disaster declaration (DR-4827-NC) for the incident period beginning on September 25, 2024 and continuing for the following counties: **Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba, Clay, Cleveland, Gaston, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Lincoln, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Transylvania, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey.** The Disaster Declaration also applies to **the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians of North Carolina.**

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Commissioner of Insurance by North Carolina General Statute § 58-2-46, IT IS ORDERED:

SECTION 1. The provisions in North Carolina General Statute 58-2-46 are effective for this disaster in **Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba, Clay, Cleveland, Gaston, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Lincoln, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Transylvania, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey counties** and to the **Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians of North Carolina.**

SECTION 2. Compliance with the provisions North Carolina General Statute §58-2-46 is required of all insurance companies, premium finance companies, collection agencies, and other persons subject to North Carolina General Statutes Chapter 58.

SECTION 3. This Order will expire 60 days from the date of issuance of this Order.

This 30th day of September 2024.

Mike Causey
Commissioner of Insurance

