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STATE OF TENNESSEE  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER**  
BY THE GOVERNOR

Number 70

**AN ORDER AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 4, AS AMENDED,  
RELATIVE TO STATE EMPLOYEES THAT ARE MEMBERS OF THE  
RESERVE OR NATIONAL GUARD AND HAVE BEEN CALLED TO FULL  
TIME MILITARY DUTY OR OTHER FULL TIME DUTY**

**WHEREAS**, members of the Reserve Components of Armed Forces of the United States of America have been ordered to active duty by the President of the United States or under the authority of a Governor in support of an operation undertaken in response to the terrorist attacks that occurred on September 11, 2001, and in support of subsequent operations that have been undertaken or that will be undertaken prior to the expiration of this Executive Order No. 70, including but not limited to Enduring Freedom, Joint Endeavor, Noble Eagle and Iraqi Freedom (collectively "the Operations"); and

**WHEREAS**, as part of these Operations, certain Reserve units and National Guard units have been, or will be, called to active military duty by the President of the United States or under the authority of a Governor; and

**WHEREAS**, additionally, in response to the devastating earthquake that struck Haiti on January 12, 2010, the President of the United States, acting under the authority of Title 10, Sections 121 and 123404 of the United States Code, has ordered selected reserve and certain individual ready reserve members of the armed forces to active duty; and

**WHEREAS**, it is appropriate for the State of Tennessee to continue to support the United States of America and its efforts in the Operations and in its Haitian earthquake relief efforts; and


**WHEREAS**, a number of employees of the State of Tennessee who serve in the United States Armed Forces as a part of the Reserve and National Guard have been called to active military duty as a part of the Operations or are subject to being called into active duty as a part of the Operations or to provide support for the Haitian earthquake relief efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, the benefits which were established for state employees by Executive Order No. 4, as amended by Executive Order No. 9, Executive Order No. 12, Executive Order No. 17, Executive Order No. 20, Executive Order No. 26, Executive Order No. 40, Executive Order No. 50, Executive Order No. 58, Executive Order No. 60 and Executive Order No. 64, were scheduled to expire on August 31, 2010;

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Phil Bredesen, Governor of the State of Tennessee, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Tennessee Constitution and law, do hereby order and direct the following:

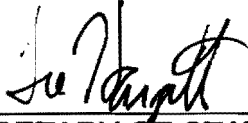
1. The provisions of Executive Orders No. 4, No. 9, No. 12, No 17, No. 20 No. 26, No. 40, No. 50, No. 58, No. 60 and No. 64 dated February 22, 2003, April 21, 2003, September 11, 2003, February 28, 2004, October 29, 2004, September 1, 2005, August 15, 2006, August 30, 2007, September 5, 2008, August 31, 2010, and February 24, 2010, respectively, are hereby amended to the extent necessary to provide for an additional one year of special leave with partial pay to be granted to those members of each department in the Executive Branch of state government who are called to active duty by the President of the United States or under the authority of a Governor to support the Operations or the Haitian earthquake relief efforts.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have subscribed by signature and caused the Great Seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed this 26<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2010.



GOVERNOR

ATTEST:



SECRETARY OF STATE

