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GOVERNOR

December 5, 2008

Lisa Echeverri
Executive Director
Florida Department of Revenue
5050 West Tennessee Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0100

Dear Director Echeverri:

Your request to add an additional item for good cause to the December 9, 2008 Department of Revenue Agenda is approved due to the time sensitive nature of the item, and the need to take action to avoid a negative impact on Florida's economy.

The purpose of this good cause item is for the Governor and Cabinet to consider and take action on a proposed emergency rule to ensure that Florida taxpayers retain the same depreciation and expensing deductions in 2008 as they have been entitled to in the past.

Thank you for your hard work on this important issue. Your efforts to present the Cabinet with a workable solution are commendable.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Charlie Crist".

Charlie Crist

cc: The Honorable Bill McCollum
The Honorable Alex Sink
The Honorable Charles H. Bronson