## STATE OF FLORIDA OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 20-122

(Broward and Miami-Dade Counties to Phase 1: Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan for Florida's Recovery)

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, I issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the entire State of Florida as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on April 29, 2020, based on data showing a downward trajectory of hospital visits for influenza-like illness and COVID-19-like syndromic cases, a decrease in percent positive test results, and a significant increase in hospital capacity, I issued Executive Order 20-112 initiating Phase 1 of the Safe. Smart. Step-by-Step. Plan for Florida's Recovery; and

WHEREAS, this Executive Order did not apply to Miami-Dade and Broward Counties; and

WHEREAS, local leadership in Broward and Miami-Dade Counties, citing data showing a downward trajectory of influenza-like illness and COVID-like illness and a low percent of new individuals testing positive, have requested that the County proceed to Phase 1.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, RON DESANTIS, as Governor of Florida, by virtue of** the authority vested in me by Article IV, Section (1)(a) of the Florida Constitution Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, and all other applicable laws, promulgate the following Executive Order:

Section 1. Broward and Miami-Dade Counties to Phase 1

Executive Order 20-112, as modified by Executive Order 20-120, is further modified as follows:

As of the effective date of this order, the restriction in Section 2(A)(2) of Executive Order

20-112 no longer applies to Broward and Miami-Dade Counties.

Section 2. Effective Date

This order is effective at 12:01 a.m. on May 18, 2020.



ATTEST:

Suc SECRETARY OF

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed, at Tallahassee, this 14th day of May 2020.



