EXECUTIVE ORDER

NUMBER THIRTY (2019)

APPOINTING THE SECRETARY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AS THE COMMONWEALTH’S NATURAL RESOURCES TRUSTEE

Directive

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor, by Article V, Section 7 of the Constitution of Virginia and § 2.2-104 of the Code of Virginia, I hereby appoint the Secretary of Natural Resources as the trustee of the Commonwealth’s natural resources pursuant to Section 107(f)(2)(B) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (“CERCLA”) (42 U.S.C. § 9607(f)(2)(B)); Section 311(f)(5) of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (“Clean Water Act”) (33 U.S.C. § 1321(f)(5)); and Section 1006(b)(3) of the Oil Pollution Act (“OPA”) (33 U.S.C. § 2706(b)(3)). The Secretary of Natural Resources shall faithfully execute the duties and responsibilities set forth in 40 C.F.R. §§ 300.605 and 300.615, subject to Virginia law.
Effective Date of this Executive Order

This Executive Order shall become effective upon its signing and shall remain in full force and effect until amended or rescinded by further executive order.

Given under my hand and under the Seal of the Commonwealth of Virginia, this 21st day of March, 2019.

Attest:

Kelly Thomasson, Secretary of the Commonwealth