

LAFAYETTE AIRPORT COMMISSION'S CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO GUBERNATORIAL PROCLAMATION JBE 2020-30

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the Governor of the State of Louisiana declared a Public Health Emergency due to the threat posed to public safety by the COVID-19 outbreak;

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Governor issued proclamation 30 JBE 2020, entitled *Additional Measures for COVID-19 Public Health Emergency*;

WHEREAS, the purpose of proclamation 30 JBE 2020 was to provide, in part, for additional measures to be taken by governmental entities to help combat the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, section four of proclamation 30 JBE 2020 authorized all local political subdivisions of the State to provide for attendance at essential governmental meetings via teleconference or video conference during the pendency of the emergency;

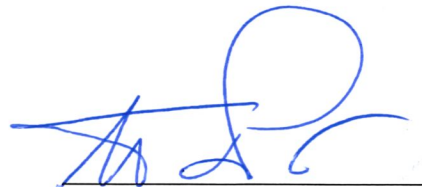
WHEREAS, section four of said proclamation further mandated that, before invoking the authority of section four, the public entity was required to certify that it would otherwise be unable to operate due to quorum requirements;

WHEREAS, the Lafayette Airport Commission needs to conduct essential business of the airport;

WHEREAS, due to underlying health concerns of several members of the Commission, which could be negatively affected by COVID-19, the Lafayette Airport Commission may be unable to obtain an in-person quorum of the members of the Commission;

WHEREAS, the Lafayette Airport Commission, therefore, may need to implement the authorization located in section four of 30 JBE 2020.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority contained in proclamation 30 JBE 2020, the Lafayette Airport Commission hereby certifies on this 8th day of May, 2020, that it may be unable to obtain an inperson quorum for its meeting scheduled for May 13, 2020 due to the threat of COVID-19, and that, therefore, once or more of its members may participate in such meeting via teleconference or video conference. Additionally, all efforts will be made to provide for observation and input by members of the public.



Executive Director