EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 86

March 2, 2006

ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY, AND GRANTS OF CONSERVATION EASEMENTS, FOR WATER SUPPLY PURPOSES

By the power vested in me as Mayor of the City of New York, it is hereby ordered:

Section 1. Implementation of Mayoral Duties in connection with the Acquisition of Real Property Outside the City of New York for Water Supply Purposes. The Director of the Office of Operations, and staff of such Office designated by such Director, are hereby authorized to give preliminary approval to the acquisition of real property outside the City of New York for water supply purposes pursuant to section 5-357 of the Administrative Code.

§ 2. Approval of Maps and Payments. The Deputy Mayor for Economic Development and Rebuilding is hereby authorized to sign the certificate of final adoption of acquisition maps pursuant to section 5-360 of the Administrative Code, and to approve amounts to be paid for the real property identified on such maps pursuant to section 5-361 of the Administrative Code.

§ 3. Execution of Easement Deeds. The Deputy Mayor for Economic Development and Rebuilding is hereby authorized to execute deeds and other legal instruments necessary to grant easements for the protection of the municipal water supply pursuant to section 4-106(9) of the Administrative Code and section 384 of the Charter.

§ 4. Mayoral Hearings on Water Supply Property Acquisitions and the Disposition of Easements. The Director of the Mayor's Office of Contracts, and staff of such Office designated by such Director, are hereby authorized to arrange and administer any public hearings, including required public notice thereof, to be held in connection with the acquisition of real property outside of the City of New York for water supply purposes pursuant to section 5-358 of the Administrative Code, and in connection with the granting of easements for the protection of the municipal water supply pursuant to section 4-106(9) of the Administrative Code and section 384 of the Charter.

§ 5. Executive Order No. 37, dated July 28, 1997, as amended by Executive Order No. 32, dated January 6, 2003, is hereby REPEALED.

§ 6. This Order shall take effect immediately

Michael R. Bloomberg Mayor