



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **OXENDINE: JENKINS COUNTY FIRE WAS ARSON**

**Atlanta** – Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner John W. Oxendine said a fire that caused destroyed a vacant rental home in Jenkins County was intentionally set.

The fire, which occurred early yesterday morning around 4:40 a.m., at 443 Foggy Field Road in Millen, caused an estimated loss of \$50,000. No injuries were reported.

Oxendine is asking anyone with information about this fire to call his Arson Hotline at **1-800-282-5804**. Rewards of up to \$10,000 are given for information leading to the arrest and conviction of an arsonist. Calls are taken 24 hours a day; callers can choose to remain anonymous. The Commissioner's Office and the Georgia Arson Control Board, Inc., sponsor the Georgia Arson Control Reward Program and the hotline.

Oxendine's Arson Unit is being assisted in the investigation by the City of Millen Fire Department.

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