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TOOMBS COUNTY FIRE RULED ACCIDENTAL

Atlanta – Insurance and Safety Fire Commissioner John W. Oxendine said a fire that caused major damage to the Save-A-Lot Supermarket in Toombs County was an accident.

The fire, which occurred last night around 11:30 p.m., at 130 State Street in Lyons, caused an estimated loss of \$75,000. No injuries were reported.

Investigators have determined that the fire was caused by an electrical malfunction inside a wall separating the freezers and storage area, Oxendine said.

Commissioner Oxendine's Arson Unit was assisted in the investigation by the Lyons Fire Department.

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