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Office of the Governor

Emergency Executive Order # 01-09 Providing for Assistance to Northern Minnesota Law Enforcement

I, JESSE VENTURA, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the applicable statutes, do hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, on the evening of June 13, 2001, severe weather swept through north central Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the fast-moving storm, accompanied by heavy rains, straight-line winds and a tornado, damaged homes and businesses, closed roads and caused power outages; and

WHEREAS, the cities and counties do not have adequate local resources for providing security, traffic control, and debris clearance; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota National Guard received requests for assistance in providing security and traffic control;

NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby order that:

- 1. The Adjutant General of Minnesota order to state active duty on or about June 14, 2001, in the service of the State, such personnel and equipment of the military forces of the State as required, and for such period of time as necessary to assist with security, traffic control and debris clearance in the damaged area.
- 2. The Adjutant General is authorized to purchase, lease or contract goods or services necessary to accomplish the mission.
- 3. The cost of subsistence, transportation, fuel, pay and allowances of said individuals shall be defrayed from the general fund of the State, as provided for in *Minnesota Statutes* 2000, Sections 192.49, subd. 1; 192.51 and 192.52.

Pursuant to *Minnesota Statutes* 2000, Section 4.035, subd. 2, this Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until such date as elements of the military forces of the State are no longer required.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this fourteenth day of June, 2001.

JESSE VENTURA

Governor

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Secretary of State