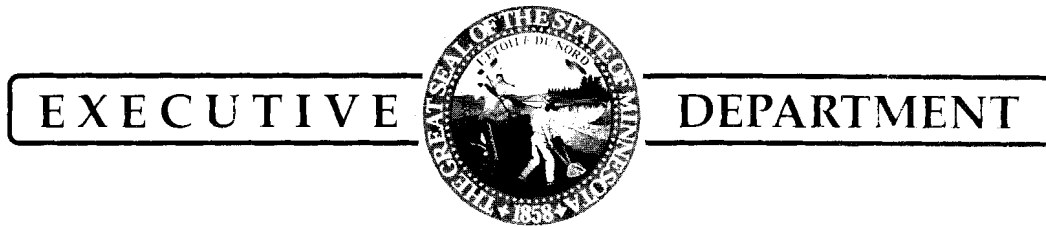


# STATE of MINNESOTA



**TIM PAWLNTY**  
**GOVERNOR**

## **EMERGENCY EXECUTIVE ORDER 09-01**

### **PROVIDING ASSISTANCE TO THE WILKIN COUNTY SHERIFF**

I, TIM PAWLNTY, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Minnesota Constitution and applicable laws, do hereby issue this emergency executive order:

WHEREAS, on January 11, 2009, a shooter was present in a remote location in Wilkin County; and

WHEREAS, the Wilkin County Special Weapons and Tactics ("SWAT") team needed armored protection to approach the shooter cross-country; and

WHEREAS, the local authorities did not have the necessary local resources to provide armored protection and the Wilkin County Sheriff requested an armored M-577 and crew from the Minnesota National Guard to assist with the local law enforcement response.


**NOW, THEREFORE**, I hereby order that:

1. The Adjutant General of Minnesota order to state active duty on or about January 11, 2009, 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 provide adequate protection and transportation for the Wilkin County SWAT team to respond to the shooter situation.
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 the responding personnel will be defrayed from the general fund of the State, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2008, Sections 192.49; 192.52 and 192.54.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2008, Section 4.035, Subdivision 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2009.



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TIM PAWLENTY  
Governor

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MARK RITCHIE  
Secretary of State

