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State of Minnesota
Executive Department
State Capitol
St. Paul, November 1, 1943

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

No. G-15

W H E R E A S , the legislature of the State of Minnesota by Chapter 206, Laws of 1939, dated April 12, 1939, being an act entitled,

"An act to authorize acceptance of federal aid for certain educational purposes by executive order in the event such aid is provided by the Congress of the United States when the Legislature is not in session."

provides in part as follows:

"Section 1. Governor may accept federal aid.--In the event that the Congress of the United States enact legislation providing educational assistance to the states for the purpose of (a) general improvement of public elementary and secondary schools, (b) improvement of school library service, (c) improvement of health, welfare, and recreational service in the public schools, (d) improvement of nursery schools and kindergartens, (e) improvement of services for handicapped pupils, (f) improvement of educational and vocational guidance activities, (g) improvement of vocational education, (h) improvement of rehabilitation and placement services, (i) improvement of technical and vocational institutes of secondary grade, (j) stimulation and improvement of part-time, civic, vocational, and general adult education and recreational activities conducted by school systems, * * * or for one or any combination of the above purposes, at a time when the legislature is not in session, the governor shall have power to accept the provisions of such act or acts of the Congress of the United States, * * * by executive order, upon recommendation of the state board of education and pending further action by the legislature.", and

W H E R E A S , the legislature of the State of Minnesota is not now in session and will not be in regular session until January, 1945, and

W H E R E A S , the state board for vocational education on August 3, 1943, recommended the acceptance of the benefits of the following acts of Congress, to-wit: Public Law 463, 77th Congress, Chapter 108, 2nd Session, Public Law 647, 77th Congress, Chapter 475, 2nd Session, and Public Law 137, 78th Congress, Chapter 221, 1st Session, relating to the education and training of defense workers and to vocational courses in food production and

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conservation, mechanics, farm machinery repair, and farm-labor training.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, the undersigned, Edward J. Thye, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby accept on behalf of the State of Minnesota the provisions of Public Law 463, 77th Congress, Chapter 108, 2nd Session, Public Law 647, 77th Congress, Chapter 476, 2nd Session, and Public Law 135, 78th Congress, Chapter 221, 1st Session, relating to the education and training of defense workers and to vocational courses in food production and conservation, mechanics, farm machinery repair, and farm-labor training, pending further action by the legislature of the State of Minnesota.

Edward J. Thye
Governor of the State of
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ATTEST:

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