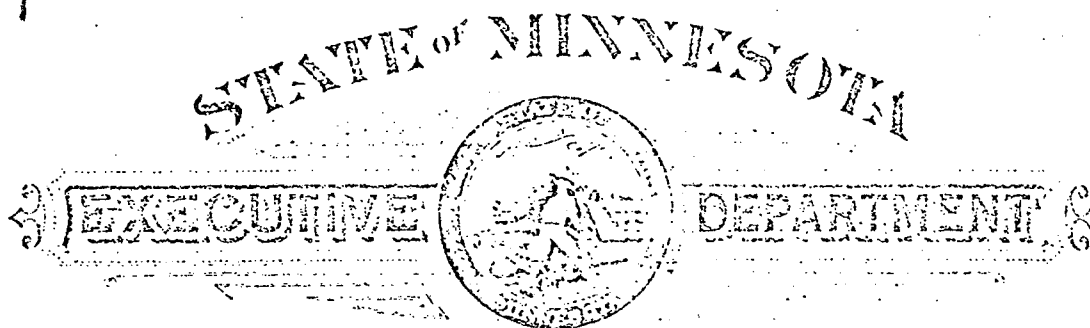


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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 79-11

Providing for the Administration of Certain State and Federally-funded Programs by the Department of Economic Security; Repealing Executive Order No. 160

I, Albert H. Quie, Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes, hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, the United States of America, pursuant to the Federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act, has made available to the State of Minnesota funds to provide a system of state and local manpower programs that provide job training, employment opportunities, education and other services for economically disadvantaged, unemployed and underemployed persons; and,

WHEREAS, the United States of America, pursuant to the Federal Social Security Act and the Federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act, has made available to the State of Minnesota funds for the implementation of a demonstrational training and employment project entitled the Work Equity Program as envisaged by Laws 1977, Chapter 301; and,

WHEREAS, the United States of America pursuant to the Federal Economic Opportunity Act and the Federal Community Services Act has made available to the State of Minnesota funds for the purpose of providing for state level and statewide advocacy, policy development, coordination, and implementation of state and federally funded anti-poverty demonstration programs, including certain programs funded under the Federal Energy Conservation and Production Act and the Federal Housing Community Development Act of 1974; and,

WHEREAS, the United States of America, pursuant to the Federal Older American Community Services Employment Act, has made available funds to the State of Minnesota for the purpose of promoting useful part-time opportunities in community service activities for certain unemployed persons; and,

WHEREAS, the Department of Economic Security, as established by Minnesota Statutes, Section 268.011, has been charged with broad responsibility in the operation of job training and placement programs and the development of manpower policy for the State of Minnesota.

NOW, THEREFORE, I order:

1. The Department of Economic Security shall be the state agency to act for the Governor in applying for, receiving and accepting funds granted to the State of Minnesota for the operation of the programs under the Federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act, the Federal Economic Opportunity Act, the Federal Community Services Act, the Federal Older American Community Services Employment Act, the Federal Social Security Act, the Federal Energy Conservation and Production Act, and the Federal Housing

and Community Development Act of 1974; and to be the sole state agency for the purposes of administering all programs formerly administered by the former Governor's Manpower Office under Federal and State law, and to disperse such funds to carry out the purposes for which the funds are received.

2. The Department of Economic Security shall provide staff support to the Governor's Council on Employment and Training.

This order repeals Executive Order No. 160.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 4.035, this order is effective 15 days after publication in the State Register, and shall remain in effect until rescinded by the proper authority or it expires in accordance with Section 4.035.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand on this _____ day of February 1979.

Albert H. Quie, Governor

Filed According to Law:

Joan Anderson Growe
Secretary of State