



EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 81-7

Providing for the Establishment of a
Governor's Task Force on Health Care

I, Albert H. Quie, Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes, including but not limited to Minnesota Statutes 1980, Sections 4.035 and 15.093, do hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, it is vital for state government to provide publicly funded health care programs within limited fiscal resources; and

WHEREAS, to achieve this goal requires a concerted effort to improve the existing health service delivery systems of state, federal and local levels of government and may require development of new approaches to addressing health care issues; and

WHEREAS, there exist a multitude of agencies and institutions involved in the delivery of these services in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, no single state agency presently has been designated to coordinate the delivery of health care services for which the state is responsible; and

WHEREAS, participation of health care industry representatives and interdepartmental cooperation can improve the coordination, quantity, and quality of services delivered.

NOW, THEREFORE, I Order:

1. The establishment of a Governor's Task Force on Health Care pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 15.093 and other applicable statutes. The Task Force shall consist of fifteen (15) members appointed by the Governor.

2. The Task Force shall invite appropriate public and private organizations to participate in its deliberations and to provide assistance to all of the activities of the Task Force and its subcommittees.

3. The Task Force shall, pursuant to Laws 1981, Chapter 360, Article 1, Section 2, conduct a study of publicly funded health


care programs and make specific recommendations to the governor regarding changes which are needed to limit expenditures for such programs to the amount authorized by the biennial budget for fiscal years 1982 and 1983.

4. The cooperation of all State Departments and Agencies with the Task Force.

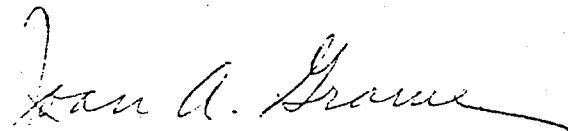
5. The terms of Task Force members and representatives to the Task Force shall coincide with the terms of this Executive Order.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1980, Section 4.035, this Order shall be effective fifteen (15) days after its publication in the State Register and filing with the Secretary of State and shall remain in effect until it is rescinded by proper authority or expires in accordance with the provisions of Section 4.035, Subdivision 3.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand on this 10th day of July, 1981.


ALBERT H. QUIE
GOVERNOR

Filed According to Law:


Joan Anderson Grove
Secretary of State