

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 83-8

## PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GOVERNOR'S ADVISORY COMMISSION ON APPOINTMENTS; REPEALING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 80-10

I, RUDY PERPICH, 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, qualified persons should be encouraged to serve on boards and committees of state agencies; and

WHEREAS, opportunities for such service should be increased for citizens of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, women, youth, minorities, elderly, handicapped, and others who traditionally may not have served on such boards and committees should be encouraged to serve; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I order:

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1. That there be established a Governor's Appointments Advisory Commission to State Multi-Member Agencies (boards, commissions, councils, committees, authorities, and task forces) and that the Commission consist of eleven members; one member from each congressional district, two members at large, and the Lieutenant Governor designated as Chair.

- 2. That the Commission shall assist the Governor in considering applicants for appointments to multi-member agencies as provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 15.0597, and that it may consider applicants for other advisory committees and task forces.
- 3. That the Commission recommend to the Governor the names of three to five applicants for each vacancy it deems most qualified and best able to serve the interests of the people' of Minnesota.
- That the Commission members may be reimbursed for expenses as provided in Minnesota Statutes 1978, Section 15.0593.
- 5. That the members be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor for terms as designated by the appointing authority.
- 6. That the Commission shall establish its own rules of procedure.
- 7. That Executive Order No. 80-10 be repealed.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1982, Section 4.035, this Order shall be effective 15 days after publication in the State Register and filing with the Secretary of State and shall remain in effect until it is rescinded by proper authority or it expires in accordance with Section 4.035, Subdivision 3.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this 15th day of March, 1983.

RUDY PERPICH Governor

Filed According to Law:

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JOAN ANDERSON GROWE Secretary of State