

EXECUTIVE ORDER 89-5
PROVIDING FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF
TECHNOLOGY RELATED ASSISTANCE
FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES;
RESCINDING EXECUTIVE ORDERS 87-6 AND 87-15

I, RUDY PERPICH, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and applicable statutes do hereby issue this Executive Order:

WHEREAS, the 1989 Minnesota Legislature transferred the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities from the Department of Trade and Economic Development to the Minnesota Council on Disability; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities has been designated as the lead agency to prepare Minnesota's application for funds under the federal Technology-Related Assistance for Individuals with Disabilities Act, Title I, state grants program; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities has been a model program for cooperation among public and private sector organizations in planning for technology-related assistance for individuals with disability in Minnesota;


NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby order that:

1. The Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities shall continue. The council shall consist of 14 members and a chair to be appointed by the Governor according to Minnesota Statutes 1988, Section 15.059. Members shall be appointed from consumers, service agencies, the private sector, third-party funding sources, education and library systems. Ex officio members shall include the commissioners of Human Services, Jobs and Training, and State Planning, the Chancellor of the State University System, and the Chair of the Council on Disability or their designees.
2. The Minnesota Council on Disability shall serve as the administrative agency for the Advisory Council.
3. The Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for the People with Disabilities shall advise the Minnesota Council on Disability on its duties under Minnesota Laws 1989, Chapter 335, Section 186. The Advisory Council shall:
 - a. Prepare, in accordance with 34 CFR Part 345, the federal grant application under the U.S. Technology-Related Assistance for Individuals with Disabilities Act, Title I, state grants program.
 - b. Recommend to the Council on Disability work and spending plans for the development and administration of a comprehensive, consumer-responsive system of assistive technology devices and services.
 - c. Monitor the Council on Disability's work and spending plans, including monitoring the disbursement of federal, state, and other funds and use of in-kind services and equipment.


- d. Help coordinate the involvement of state agencies in the provision of technology-related services.
- e. Ensure individual and family involvement in the development, implementation and evaluation of programs.
- f. Submit regular reports on its activities to the Council on Disability.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1988, Section 4.035, this Order shall be effective fifteen days after publication in the State Register and filing with the Secretary of State and shall remain in effect until rescinded by proper authority or it expires in accordance with Minnesota Statutes 1988, Section 4.035, subdivision 3.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this 7th day of July, 1989.

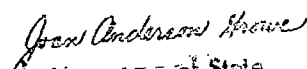

RUDY PERPICH
Governor

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