



**EXECUTIVE ORDER 92-5
PROVIDING FOR ADMINISTRATION OF
TECHNOLOGY RELATED ASSISTANCE
FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES**

I, ARNE H. CARLSON, 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, the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities has been a national model of public and private sector cooperation in planning for technology-related assistance for individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota intends to present a funding proposal to the U.S. Department of Education in order to advance Minnesota's leadership in assistive technology and services; and

WHEREAS, the 1991 Minnesota Legislature transferred the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities to the Minnesota Department of Administration;

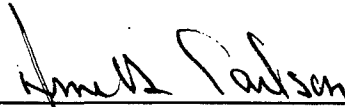
NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby order that:

1. The Department of Administration shall serve 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.
2. The Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities shall be continued and shall assist the Department of Administration to prepare and carry out Minnesota's proposal for U.S. Department of Education funds. The council shall consist of fourteen members and a chair to be appointed by the Governor according to Minnesota Statutes 1990, 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, Education, and the Office of Strategic and Long Range Planning, the Chancellor of the State University System, and the Chair of the Council on Disability or their designees.
3. The Department of Administration, with the assistance of the Governor's Advisory Council on Technology for People with Disabilities shall:
 - a. Develop and administer a comprehensive, consumer-responsive system of assistive technology devices and services for individuals with disabilities;
 - b. 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;
 - c. Coordinate the involvement of state agencies in the provision of technology-related services;
 - d. Ensure individual and family involvement in the development, implementation and evaluation of services;

- e. Advise the Governor on policy issues related to technology-related assistance to individuals with disabilities.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1990, Section 4.035, subd. 2, this Order shall be effective fifteen (15) 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 1990, Section 4.035, subd. 3.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this tenth day of April, 1992.



ARNE H. CARLSON
Governor

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JOAN ANDERSON GROWE
Secretary of State

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