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STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY SAINT PAUL 55155

REORGANIZATION COMMISSIONER'S ORDER NO. 39 JANUARY 21, 1977

WHEREAS, The Commissioner of Public Safety of the State of Minnesota is empowered to designate a director of the Division of Driver Licenses of the Department of Public Safety by the provisions of Minnesota Statutes §171.015, Subdivision 1; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Public Safety of the State of Minnesota is empowered to designate a director of the Division of Motor Vehicles of the Department of Public Safety by the provisions of Minnesota Statutes §168.325, Subdivision 1; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Public Safety is empowered by the provisions of Minnesota Statutes \$299A.01, Subdivision 3, to organize the Department of Public Safety in a manner which he deems necessary to carry out the functions of the department as required by law, and assign individuals employed therein with such duties, powers, and responsibilities to carry out such functions; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioner of Public Safety has determined that it is in the best interests of the State of Minnesota that the Department of Public Safety be reorganized to consolidate the separate divisions of Driver Licenses and Motor Vehicles into a division of Driver and Vehicle Services, and to create a position in the unclassified service of Director of Driver and Vehicle Services;

THEREFORE, I, Edward G. Novak, duly appointed Commissioner of Public Safety of the State of Minnesota, do hereby consolidate the separate divisions in the

Department of Public Safety of Driver Licenses and Motor Vehicles into a new division to be known as Driver and Vehicle Services. Further, this division is to be under the supervision and control of a Director of Driver and Vehicle Services who is to be appointed by me and serve in the unclassified service of the State of Minnesota at my pleasure. The positions of Director of the Division of Driver Licenses and Director of Motor Vehicles are abolished, and all authority, powers, duties, and responsibilities delegated by me by previous order to these former positions are hereby transferred to the Director of Driver and Vehicle Services.

This consolidation of the Division of Driver Licenses and Division of Motor Vehicles is not intended to abolish the positions in the classified service of the State of Minnesota of Assistant Driver License Director or Assistant Director of Motor Vehicles. These categories, and the duty, power, authority and responsibility delegated therefore to the holders of these positions shall continue within the framework of the consolidated Division of Driver and Vehicle Services.

The consolidation of these divisions and the appointment of the Director of Driver and Vehicle Services, and the delegation of the authority, power, duty and responsibility that such director will hold shall be effective January 24, 1977.

EDWARD G. NOVAK, COMMISSIONER DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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