



STATE OF MINNESOTA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
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RUDY PERPICH
GOVERNOR

DELEGATION ORDER

Providing for the Assignment of Duties
to the Soil and Water Conservation
Board under The Soil and Water Resources
Conservation Act of 1977 (P.L. 95-192).

I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, by virtue
of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Minnesota Statutes,
Section 4.07, hereby issue this Delegation Order.

WHEREAS, whenever the United States of America, pursuant to federal
law or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder, makes available
to the State of Minnesota or any department, agency, governmental
subdivision, or other instrumentality thereof funds for any purpose
and no state agency has been otherwise designated by law to apply for,
receive, and accept such federal funds, the Governor may designate a
state agency or agencies to act for him in applying for, receiving, and
accepting federal funds pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 4.07;
and,

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WHEREAS, this designation shall apply to funds which are dispersed by The United States Department of Agriculture - Soil Conservation Service under The Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act of 1977 (P.L. 95-192, STATE 1407, 16 USC 2001-2009) and amendments thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, I order that:

1. The State Soil and Water Conservation Board be designated as the State agency to act for me in applying for, receiving and accepting federal funds granted to The State of Minnesota from The U.S. Department of Agriculture - Soil Conservation Service under The Federal "Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act of 1977", Public Law 95-192 and to disburse such funds to carry out the below-enumerated purposes for which the funds are received in accordance with all laws of the State, except where federal laws, rules or regulations differ.

(It is the purpose of The Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act of 1977, P.L. 95-192, to appraise on a continuing basis the soil, water and related resources of the Nation; to develop and update periodically a program for furthering the conservation, protection and enhancement of the soil, water and related resources of the Nation consistent with the roles and program responsibilities of other federal agencies and state and local governments; to provide to Congress and the public,

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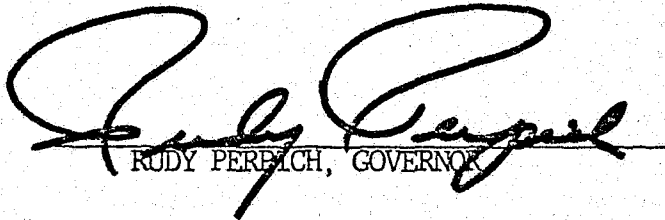
the information gathered from the above program and providing Congress with an annual evaluation report.)

2. The Executive Director of said Board shall be the State liaison officer for signing all documents necessary for the application for, receipt of, and acceptance of funds received from The Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act under this order, and shall have the further authority:
 - a. Responsibility for the overall fund administration.
 - b. Selecting an alternate liaison officer who will have the authorities of the State liaison officer in that person's absence.
3. This order does not preclude the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency from applying for, receiving, accepting, and expending funds under the above-cited federal laws where said agencies are authorized under law and independently of this order to accept such funds.

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This order shall be effective on the twenty-seventh day of September, 1978, and shall remain in effect until superseded, amended, or repeal by proper authority.

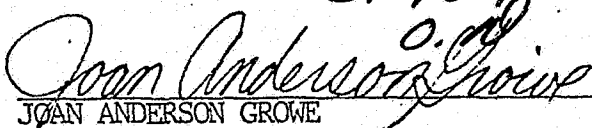
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand on this 28th day of September, 1978.


RUDY PERLE, GOVERNOR

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