

## EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 83-12

## PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE GOVERNOR'S JOB TRAINING COORDINATING COUNCIL

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, the Job Training Partnership Act, Public Law 97-300, herein after referred to as JTPA, established programs to prepare youth and unskilled adults for entry into the labor force and to afford job training to those economically disadvantaged individuals and other individuals facing serious barriers to employment, who are in special need of such training to obtain productive employment; and,

WHEREAS, it is vital that state and local units of government closely coordinate their efforts to develop plans which meet the locally determined needs, recommend meaningful programs to alleviate employment problems, reduce duplication and gaps in employment and training services, and effectively and economically utilize state and federal employment and training funds; and,

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WHEREAS, employment and training programs need to be integrated with all human services to assist the economically disadvantaged, unemployed, and underemployed; and,

WHEREAS, it is required by JTPA to establish a State Job Training Coordinating Council made up of representatives of business and industry, the State Legislature, state agencies and organizations, units of local government, organized labor, community-based organizations, clients and the general public to plan, coordinate and monitor the provision of employment and training services.

## NOW, THEREFORE, I order:

- 1. The formation of the Governor's Job Training Coordinating Council.
  - a. This Council, in accordance with the provisions of JTPA, shall be composed of representatives of business and industry, the State Legislature, state agencies, local units of government, labor, agriculture, community-based organizations, the client community, related boards and councils and the general public.
  - b. The Council shall be appointed by the Governor, who shall designate one nongovernmental member thereof to be Chairperson. In making appointments to the Council, the Governor shall ensure that the membership of the Council reasonably represents the population of the state.

- c. The Council shall not operate programs or provide services directly, but shall exist solely to plan, coordinate, and monitor the provision of such programs and services.
- The Council shall recommend a Governor's coordination and special services plan; recommend substate service delivery areas to the Governor; plan certain resource allocations; provide management guidance and review for all programs in the state; develop linkages with other programs; coordinate activities with private industry councils, and develop the Governor's Coordination and Special Service Plan and recommend variations in performance standards; advise the Governor and local entities on job training plans and certify the consistency of such plans; review the operation of programs conducted in each service delivery area and make recommendations with respect to ways to improve the effectiveness of such programs; review and comment on the state plan developed for the state employment service agency; make an annual report to the Governor and issue other reports as it deems advisable; identify the employment and training and vocational educational needs through the state; review plans of all state agencies providing employment and training, and related services and provide comments and recommendations on the effectiveness and relevancy of employment and training and related service delivery systems in the state; and perform all other functions required of it under JTPA.

- e. The Council shall meet at least five times annually and shall be authorized to determine its operating procedures in accordance with state and federal statutes and regulations.
- 2. All state departments and agencies shall cooperate with the Council established in this Executive Order.

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

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