



**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 83-16**

**PROVIDING FOR A GOVERNOR'S PLANNING  
COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES  
AND ASSIGNING RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE  
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, PLANNING, AND  
DEVELOPMENT; REPEALING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 79-32**

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, provision of services to persons with developmental disabilities is of concern and importance to the state; and

WHEREAS, Public Law 91-517, as amended (P.L. 94-103, P.L. 95-602, P.L. 97-35), directs state participation in assisting developmentally disabled people, provides funds for such assistance, and requires the establishment of a planning council and the preparation of a state plan; and

WHEREAS, no state agency has been designated by law to apply for, to receive, to accept, and to expend federal funds for such purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, I order:

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1. That, in accordance with Public Law 91-517, as amended, there be established the Governor's Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities, whose responsibility it shall be to supervise the development of an annual state plan describing the quality, extent, and scope of needed services being provided or to be provided, to persons with developmental disabilities; to monitor and evaluate the implementation of the state plan, and to review state service plans for the developmentally disabled; and
2. That, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 4.07, the Department of Energy, Planning, and Development be designated the state agency to act for the Governor in applying for, receiving, accepting, and expending federal funds granted to the State of Minnesota by Public Law 91-517, as amended; and
3. That the Department of Energy, Planning, and Development be designated as the responsible agency to provide staff and other administrative assistance to the Governor's Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities, and to carry out all other responsibilities relating to the developmental disabilities program as required under state and federal law.

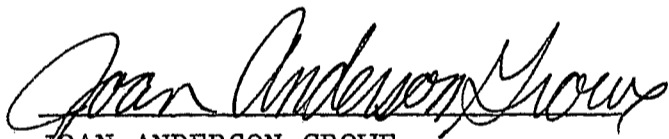
This Order repeals Executive Order No. 79-32.

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

Filed According to Law:

  
JOAN ANDERSON GROWE  
Secretary of State

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