STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION REORGANIZATION ORDER NO. 153

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1986, Section 16B.37, the following administrative reorganization is made with the prior approval of the Governor.

In order to improve efficiency and avoid duplication in the operation of state government, the powers and duties of the Commissioner of Commerce, as successor to the Superintendent of Banks, relating to the leasing of state-owned mineral and oil rights as described below, are transferred to the Commissioner of Natural Resources.

The state-owned mineral and oil rights covered by this reorganization order are the West One-half (W 1/2), Section Seventeen (17), Township Ten (10) North, Range Twenty-nine (29) East, Musselshell County, Montana.

The Commissioner of Commerce shall give to the Commissioner of Natural Resources all contracts, books, maps, plans, papers, and records relating to the transferred powers and duties.

Any proceeding, court action, prosecution, or other business or matter pending on the effective date of the transfer may be conducted and completed by the Commissioner of Natural Resources in the same manner under the same terms and conditions, and with the same effect, as though it involved or were commenced and conducted or completed prior to the transfer by the Commissioner of Commerce.

No personnel, funds, supplies, or equipment are transferred.

In accordance with Minnesota Statutes 1986, Section 16B.37, Subdivision 2, this order is effective upon filing with the Secretary of State and shall remain in effect until amended or superseded.

APPROVED RUD PERPT GOVERNO SANDRA J. HALE, COMMISSIONER

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