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Richard D. Lamm
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

BREAST CANCER CONTROL COMMISSION OF COLORADO

WHEREAS, breast cancer is a leading cause of disease and death in Colorado; and

WHEREAS, early detection and treatment are the most important factors in the prevention of morbidity and mortality from this disease; and

WHEREAS, recently published findings of the National Breast Cancer Detection Demonstration Project show that education and routine mammographic examination of women in specified age groups is effective in early detection; and

WHEREAS, a coordinated program for education and mammographic examination of women in appropriate age groups does not exist in Colorado;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Richard D. Lamm, Governor of the State of Colorado, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the laws of the State of Colorado, DO HEREBY ORDER THAT:

1. There be established a Breast Cancer Control Commission of Colorado which shall consist of 16 members. The chair of the commission and the members shall be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor. Committee members shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their official duties.
2. The commission shall perform the following functions:
 - a. to describe, epidemiologically, the breast cancer problem in Colorado;
 - b. to make an inventory of available expertise and resources in breast cancer control in Colorado;

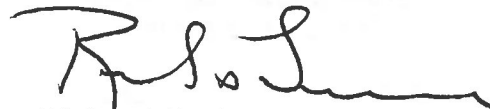
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- c. develop a Breast Cancer control Plan for Colorado to coordinate and encourage education, screening and follow-up programs designed to identify the maximum number of cases of breast cancer at the earliest possible stage of disease; and to recommend the resources necessary to provide these services to women of appropriate age groups in Colorado.
3. The commission shall meet at least monthly to pursue its work and shall submit its findings and recommendations to the Governor. Technical and clerical staff assistance shall be provided by the Colorado Department of Health and the American Cancer Society.
4. This commission shall be terminated no later than June 30, 1985, unless renewed by appropriate action of the Governor prior to that date.

GIVEN under my hand and the
Executive Seal of the State
of Colorado, this fourth day
of June, A.D. 1984.



Richard D. Lamm
Governor

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