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Richard D. Lamm Governor

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#### EXECUTIVE ORDER

#### GOVERNOR'S SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the State of Colorado's future is closely tied to the quality of the intellectual, scientific, environmental, and infrastructure resources of the State; and

WHEREAS, the complexity of the issues confronting the State requires inputs from the array of high quality expertise available in the State; and

WHEREAS, education and public awareness as they relate to scientific and technological issues are the basis for new achievements in economic growth, while maintaining a higher quality of life;

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. The Governor's Science and Technology Advisory Council is re-established to have the following purposes:
  - to provide regular linkages between the Executive Branch of State Government and the research activities and expertise available within all sectors of the State;
  - b. to identify key problems and opportunities on the horizon for Colorado and to call these problems and opportunities to the attention of the Executive Branch;
  - c. to identify the research and educational strengths within the State, including networking opportunities among the private sector, state and federal institutions, and to advise the Executive Branch on strategies for capitalizing on these strengths;

d. to provide advice on particular issues as requested by the Governor and Cabinet, and to act as a sounding board for State agency programs and procedures;

e. to provide issue papers and task force reports on matters of importance to the State, utilizing appropriate expertise.

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- 2. The Council shall consist of not more than fifteen persons, nominated on the basis of qualifications noted below. The chair and members of the Council shall be appointed by the Governor for a terms of one year. The Chair of Council may be appointed either from the existing membership or from outside that membership. Appointments may be renewed.
  - a. Council members should have broad acquaintance in the science and technology communities of the State, including detailed familiarity with the research activities within their own institutions and disciplines, and should be persons of established scientific accomplishment and standing in the scientific communities of the State and Nation.
  - Members should be in a position to spend adequate portions of their working time on affairs of the Council. A vacancy on the Council shall be created when any member is absent from three consecutive meetings. Any member of the Council may be removed by the Governor for cause.
- 3. The Council is to be staffed through the Governor's office, as resources allow. Members of the Council shall serve without compensation or reimbursement for expenses associated with the work of the Council.
- 4. This order supercedes any previous Executive Orders relating to or establishing a Governor's Science and Technology Advisory Council.
- 5. The Governor's Science and Technology Advisory Council shall be terminated not later than July 15, 1987, unless reviewed by the Governor for appropriate action prior to that date.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this thirtieth day of June, A.D. 1986.

Richard D. Lamm

Governor

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