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Richard D. Lamm  
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## EXECUTIVE ORDER

### COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS AND STATE OFFICE OF ENERGY CONSERVATION TO ADMINISTER LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE LOW-COST WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

- WHEREAS, Public Law 97-35 included provisions for a program of benefits to low-income individuals and families to provide assistance in coping with rising home heating costs; and
- WHEREAS, the law allows up to fifteen (15) percent of the block grant funds to be used for low-cost weatherization or other energy related home repair for low-income households; and
- WHEREAS, it has been determined that the provision of low-cost residential weatherization services will provide long-range benefits for Colorado's low-income population; and
- WHEREAS, the State Office of Energy Conservation and the Colorado Department of Local Affairs have experience with the provision of low-cost weatherization services to low-income populations; and
- WHEREAS, it is the objective of this administration to provide assistance benefits equitably and efficiently to the various groups of eligible recipients, utilizing all available resources and avoiding duplication of benefits thereto; and
- WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the low-income segment of the Colorado population to provide the weatherization benefits that are available under the program as expeditiously and efficiently as possible;

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

1. The State Office of Energy Conservation and the Colorado Department of Local Affairs are designated as the responsible agencies to administer a Low-Cost Weatherization Program.

