

STATE OF COLORADO

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Richard D. Lamm
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER

INITIATION OF A PROGRAM OF SELF-INSURANCE
FOR AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY AND GENERAL LIABILITY
FOR THE STATE OF COLORADO

WHEREAS, the State of Colorado must be insured at all times by means of a commercial insurance policy, a program of self-insurance, or a combination of the two, pursuant to 24-10-116, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, the State historically has fulfilled this statutory obligation for purposes of automobile liability and general liability insurance by purchasing such insurance from commercial insurance carriers; and

WHEREAS, notice was given to the State that its current policy for automobile liability and general liability insurance would not be continued as of September 15, 1985; and

WHEREAS, the State received no proposals from private insurance carriers for automobile liability and general liability insurance when it solicited such proposals after the notice of nonrenewal was received; and

WHEREAS, the aforementioned conditions compel the State to utilize a program of self-insurance for automobile liability and general liability when its insurance policy lapses, in order to comply with 24-10-116, C.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, the Attorney General of Colorado has advised me that a special session of the Fifty-Fifth Colorado General Assembly is required to structure and fund a permanent program of self-insurance for automobile liability and general liability; and

WHEREAS, I have determined, after consulting with the legislative leadership, that it is not possible to call the General Assembly into special session to enact the necessary self-insurance legislation prior to the effective date of the nonrenewal of the State's insurance policy.

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

- 1) the State of Colorado is self-insured for automobile liability and general liability as of 12:01 a.m., September 15, 1985, pursuant to 24-10-116, C.R.S.;
- 2) until the Colorado General Assembly enacts legislation to establish and fund a self-insurance program, the Executive Director of the Department of Administration is authorized to use or to require State departments and agencies to use Fiscal Year 1985-86 appropriations, allocated for insurance, for interim expenses related to the State's self-insurance for automobile liability and general liability;
- 3) until the Colorado General Assembly enacts self-insurance legislation, the Attorney General's office is authorized, pursuant to 24-31-101(a), C.R.S., to provide necessary legal services relating to any automobile liability and general liability incurred by the State, its officers, or its employees after 12:01 a.m., September 15, 1985.

GIVEN under my hand and the
Executive Seal of the State of
Colorado, this 13th day of
September, A.D. 1985.



Richard D. Lamm
Governor

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