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## EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

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Roy Romer  
Governor

## EXECUTIVE ORDER

### CONTINUE THE CITIZENS' ADVOCATE OFFICE WITHIN THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

WHEREAS, the citizens of the State of Colorado are entitled to have a state government that is truly concerned and responsive to the needs of individuals within our state;

WHEREAS, there is often confusion among the citizens of the State of Colorado about where to go in state government to get answers to their questions, concerns, and complaints;

WHEREAS, there is a need to have a centralized office at the highest level of state government which serves as the focal point for the citizens of the State of Colorado to register their complaints and problems about state government;

WHEREAS, as Governor, I am committed to an open government which can be held accountable to the citizens of the state;

WHEREAS, the Citizen's Advocate Office was created in an effort to cut down on bureaucratic red tape and to make state government more responsive to the needs of its citizens;

WHEREAS, the Citizens' Advocate Office has served and will continue to serve a vital function in state government;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Roy Romer, Governor of the State of Colorado by virtue of the authority vested in me under the constitution and laws of the State of Colorado hereby order that the Citizens' Advocate Office be continued and reestablished within the Office of the Governor to serve as a centralized office in the State of Colorado to assure that state government is truly responsive to the needs of citizens in our state.

GIVEN under my hand and the  
Executive Seal of the State of  
Colorado, this 4th day of  
December, 1987.

Roy Romer  
Governor

