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Roy Romer
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER

AUTHORIZING THE HIRING OF OUTSIDE COUNSEL FOR THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

WHEREAS, by memorandum, dated April 23, 1993, the Office of the Attorney General has informed the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) that it will not provide legal representation to an employee of CDOT, James Robertson, in a criminal proceeding in Jackson County relating to his employment;

WHEREAS, A. Ray Chamberlain, executive director of CDOT, by memorandum of April 28, 1993, has requested that the Governor authorize the appointment of outside counsel to represent James Robertson;

WHEREAS, state law, §24-31-101(1)(e), C.R.S., provides in pertinent part as follows:

Whenever the attorney general is unable or has failed or refused to provide legal services to an agency of state government, as determined by the governor if the agency is in the executive branch or by the chief justice if the agency is in the judicial branch, such agency may employ counsel of its own choosing to provide such legal service.

WHEREAS, the Governor has determined that the requirements of C.R.S. §24-31-101(1)(e) for an agency to employ counsel of its own choosing have been met in this matter;

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Roy Romer, Governor of the State of Colorado, under the authority vested in me by the constitution and the laws of the State of Colorado, do hereby authorize the Colorado Department of Transportation to employ counsel of its own choosing, as determined by the executive director of CDOT, to represent James Robertson in proceedings related to the criminal matter in Jackson County described in the executive order.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado this twenty fourth day of May, 1993.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roy Romer", is written over a faint circular stamp.

Roy Romer
Governor

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