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Roy Romer
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER

CREATING THE POLLUTION PREVENTION ADVISORY BOARD

- WHEREAS, Colorado is blessed by its natural beauty and an excellent quality of life, but is threatened by air, land, and water pollution;
- WHEREAS, Colorado industry and citizens produce tons of pollution yearly, and spend millions of dollars to mitigate the impacts of that pollution;
- WHEREAS, Colorado industry, government and citizens have expressed a strong interest in minimizing air, land and water pollution;
- WHEREAS, There are significant opportunities for all Coloradans to reduce or prevent pollution through cost-effective changes in procurement, production, operation, and use of raw materials;
- WHEREAS, Colorado possesses a wealth of scientific, educational, and industry experts in the field of pollution prevention;
- WHEREAS, Pollution prevention requires coordination across many sectors, including legislative, regulatory, business, and individuals; and
- WHEREAS, The prevention of pollution is preferable to other forms of environmental management including treatment and disposal, and is the cornerstone of the future of environmental management;

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

1. The Pollution Prevention Advisory Board is hereby created. Members shall be appointed by the Governor and shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

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2. The board shall have the following responsibilities:
 - a. Provide overall policy guidance and advice in the development and implementation of the Colorado Pollution Prevention Program;
 - b. Develop pollution prevention goals and objectives;
 - c. Inventory pollution prevention activities and opportunities in the public and private sectors;
 - d. Review the progress of the pollution prevention program in implementing the commitments made by the Governor under the Capacity Assurance Program;
 - e. Review environmental regulatory programs, laws, and policies to identify pollution prevention opportunities and make recommendations to eliminate barriers to pollution prevention including the use of incentives and disincentives;
 - g. Facilitate the adoption of pollution prevention techniques by businesses;
 - h. Provide direction for pollution prevention outreach, education, training, and technical assistance programs;
 - i. Coordinate with existing pollution prevention efforts such as the Pollution Prevention Partnership and the Colorado Center for Environmental Management;
 - j. Undertake such other activities as the board deems appropriate to further pollution prevention programs; and
 - k. Report to the Governor annually on the progress of the pollution prevention efforts.

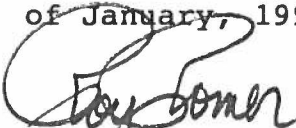
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3. The board shall meet at times and in places upon which members mutually agree.
4. The board shall sunset no later than December 31, 1992, unless reviewed by the Governor for appropriate action prior to that date.



GIVEN under my hand and the
Executive Seal of the State of
Colorado, this thirty-first day
of January, 1991.


Roy Romer
Governor