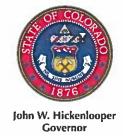
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EXECUTIVE ORDER

INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Office of the Governor of the State of Colorado, in particular Article IV, Section 6(1) of the Colorado Constitution and section 24-34-101(1)(a) of the Colorado Revised Statutes, I, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issue this Executive Order appointing a fit person to discharge the duties of the office of Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Higher Education, on an interim basis.

ORDERED:

That Diane Cheri Duffy of Louisville, Colorado, be and she is hereby appointed to discharge the duties of the Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Higher Education. This appointment shall be effective as of October 21, 2016, and continue until such time as I appoint a successor to the office of Executive Director of the Department of Higher Education.

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GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this eighth day of November, 2016.

John W. Hickenlooper Governor