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EXECUTIVE ORDER

Employing the National Guard for the Purpose of Enforcing Colorado's Laws

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State of Colorado and, in particular, pursuant to C.R.S. § 28-3-104, John W. Hickenlooper, Governor of the State of Colorado, hereby issues this Executive Order employing the National Guard for the purposes of enforcing Colorado law and protecting life and property.

I. Declaration and Directives

On October 27, 2011, it was brought to my attention that there was an ongoing criminal investigation in Teller County that needed the assistance of certain kinds of specialized equipment. The National Guard possessed such equipment and Teller County requested such equipment. Pursuant to C.R.S. § 28-3-104, I verbally authorized the activation of the National Guard to assist in this criminal investigation on October 27, 2011. This Executive Order memorializes my verbal order.

II. Duration

This Executive Order shall expire thirty days from October 27, 2011 unless extended further by Executive Order.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado this twenty-seventh day of

October, 2011.

John W. Hickenlooper

Governor