



EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER SIX

WHEREAS, the Governor's Economy Committee, appointed in 1969, recommended that the general administrative functions of state government should be centralized in one department to increase the effectiveness of all state agencies and reduce the cost of state government; and

WHEREAS, the First Session of the 64th Iowa General Assembly passed an Act establishing a new General Services Department, which will assume various specified duties, powers and responsibilities of the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, the State Vehicle Dispatcher, the State Printing Board, the Superintendent of Printing, the State Comptroller and the Executive Council over the next 18 months; and

WHEREAS, the result of the transfer of these duties to the General Services Department will be better coordination and control of administrative functions of State Government, with consequent financial savings through centralization:

NOW, THEREFORE, I Robert D. Ray, Governor of the State of Iowa, pursuant to the powers granted me in Section 14 of Chapter 84 of the Laws of the 64th General Assembly, First Session, do hereby authorize and direct the transfer of the powers, duties, functions, responsibilities and programs under Chapter 15 and Chapter 16, 1971 Code of Iowa, as given to the State Printing Board and the Superintendent of Printing respectively, to the General Services Department.

For purposes of implementing this transfer, I hereby authorize and direct the State Comptroller, pursuant to Section 13 of Chapter 84 of the Laws of the 64th General Assembly, First Session, to transfer and allocate the moneys appropriated and remaining in the name of the State Printing Board and the Superintendent of Printing to the General Services Department.

The transfers directed above shall take effect on January 17, 1972.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines, Iowa, this 17th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-two.


GOVERNOR

Attest:


SECRETARY OF STATE