

**261—1.3(15) Authority structure.**

**1.3(1) *General.*** The authority's organizational structure consists of the board, the director and such divisions as the director may from time to time create.

**1.3(2) *Chief designee.*** The director may designate an employee to administer the authority in the director's absence. Such employee may bear the title of deputy director, chief operating officer, chief of staff, or other similar title as long as the director has executed an instrument clearly delegating the director's authority to that employee.

**1.3(3) *Signature authority.*** The director may authorize one or more employees to execute and deliver on behalf of the authority any agreement, document, or instrument as such employee may deem necessary or appropriate to implement and carry out the intent and purpose of any statute or administrative rule by which the authority is bound other than those statutes or administrative rules requiring a person holding a specified office to sign, if any, as long as the director has executed an instrument clearly delegating such authority to such employee or employees.

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