EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER ONE

WHEREAS, expenditures for state services have increased at a rapid rate in recent years; and

WHEREAS, it is vital to the economic health and prosperity of the State of Iowa that its administrative services be conducted on a sound, efficient, and economical basis and that the people of this State be assured of wise expenditure of their tax dollars; and

WHEREAS, leaders of business and industry of this State are volunterring assistance in performing a detailed examination of the administration of these state services and procedures of state government.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert D. Ray, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby establish the Iowa Governor's Economy Committee, and do hereby appoint G. LaMonte Weissenburger Chairman of said Committee and hereby authorize the formation of a non-profit corporation under his direction and leadership to carry out the intent of this Executive Order.

I further authorize and empower said Committee to make such studies and analyses that they consider necessary to ascertain the means and manner by and in which the services of the State of Iowa may be afforded to its citizens in the most efficient, expeditious, and economical manner, and to that end;

I further authorize and empower them to select and retain as their agents and assistants Warren King & Associates as consultants to the Committee and such executives and experts from business and industry as are skilled in the conduct of private enterprise.

IN FURTHERANCE WHEREOF, I request every office and employee of Iowa State Government to cooperate and furnish to the Committee and its representatives complete information concerning their respective departments, divisions, bureaus and boards and to give to the Committee and its agents every assistance in the performance of their duties; and

UPON THE COMPLETION OF ITS WORK, said Committee shall render to me a full report of its findings and recommendations as said Committee shall deem appropriate in the premises.

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 this 20th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixty-nine.

/s/ ROBERT D. RAY
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

/s/ MELVIN D. SYNHORST
SECRETARY OF STATE

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