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WHEREAS, protection and promotion of clean air has become an urgent concern for government and private enterprise because of the effect of air pollution upon the health of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, one of the greatest single sources of air pollution are pollutants contained in the exhaust of the motor vehicles that use our streets and highways; and

WHEREAS, Iowa State Government should take the lead in the campaign to lower the level of air pollution in our State and can make a meaningful contribution through its control of more than 8,000 vehicles using regular gasoline in its administrative units, the Board of Regents and the Highway Commission:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Robert D. Ray, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby instruct the State Car Dispatcher, Mr. Frank Crabb, to require all state-owned vehicles to use low-lead or unleaded gasoline whenever and wherever practical and possible.

I further authorize and empower the State Car Dispatcher to promulgate and distribute to all Iowa State Government agencies and offices any necessary instructions and regulations concerning the purchase of said low-lead and unleaded gasoline.

IN FURTHERANCE WHEREOF, I request every office and employee of Iowa State Government to cooperate fully with the State Car Dispatcher in helping to improve the quality of our air environment.

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 Twelfth Day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy.