

State of Iowa  
Executive Department

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA  
EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER SEVENTY-NINE

**WHEREAS**, Article IV, section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Iowa provides that the Governor shall ensure the laws are faithfully executed; and

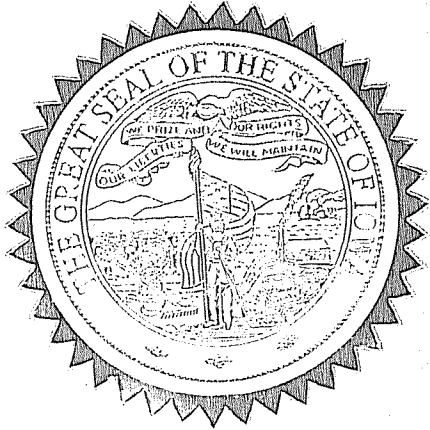
**WHEREAS**, all executive orders remain in effect unless they expire on their own terms, are rescinded or superseded; and

**WHEREAS**, to ensure an efficient and effective state government, executive orders should periodically be reviewed to determine which orders are still necessary.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Terry E. Branstad, Governor of the State of Iowa, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of the State of Iowa, do hereby order and direct that the following Executive Orders be rescinded:

1. Executive Order Number 63, dated February 10, 1998, issued by Governor Terry E. Branstad, shall be rescinded because the committee no longer meets.
2. Executive Order Number 3, dated February 5, 1999, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because the council is no longer needed.
3. Executive Order Number 25, dated June 4, 2002, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because the legislature has formally codified this order.
4. Executive Order Number 33, dated November 17, 2003, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because the legislature has formally codified this order.
5. Executive Order Number 34, dated December 5, 2003, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because the council is no longer needed.
6. Executive Order Number 43, dated July 4, 2005, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because it is outdated.
7. Executive Order Number 45, dated January 16, 2006, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because it is outdated.
8. Executive Order Number 46, dated January 16, 2006, issued by Governor Thomas J. Vilsack, shall be rescinded because it is outdated.
9. Executive Order Number 6, dated February 21, 2008, issued by Governor Chester J. Culver, shall be rescinded because the steering committee, advisory committee and task forces no longer meet.
10. Executive Order Number 7, dated June 27, 2008, issued by Governor Chester J. Culver, shall be rescinded because the office and committee are no longer needed.
11. Executive Order Number 17, dated September 25, 2009, issued by Governor Chester J. Culver, shall be rescinded because it does not support cost-efficient government.
12. Executive Order Number 20, dated December 16, 2009, issued by Governor Chester J. Culver, shall be rescinded because it is unnecessarily burdensome.

This executive order shall not be interpreted to reinstate any executive order rescinded by the above executive orders.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines this 20th day of August, in the year of our Lord two thousand twelve.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Terry E. Branstad".

TERRY E. BRANSTAD  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matt Schultz".

MATT SCHULTZ  
SECRETARY OF STATE