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EXECUTIVE ORDER

69-2

CREATION OF POSITION OF CIVILIAN AIDE
TO THE GOVERNOR FOR MILITARY AFFAIRS

WHEREAS, without question, one of the great factors contributing to the continuing growth of Arizona has been the influx of citizens whose first contact with Arizona was military service here. This factor, plus the sheer economic force of the various military bases on the economy of Arizona, is the motivation for this Executive Order; and

WHEREAS, since military active duty personnel and families, military retirees and their dependents, civilian employees and retired civilian personnel result in one-tenth of Arizona's population or the third largest city in the state; and since there are seven bases with an estimated work force of 30,000 military and 10,000 civilian personnel -- this area is of utmost importance; and

WHEREAS, the operating budgets are approximately \$350,000,000 and some \$605,000,000 is spent by the Department of Defense each year to operate and obtain equipment from Arizona based companies; and

WHEREAS, many of these highly skilled workers will be available to Arizona industry as servicemen complete their active duty time and seek to make their homes in this state; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that the establishment of a formal liaison with this very important segment of Arizona's population would be helpful and desirable. For the reasons set forth above and by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of Arizona, I do hereby establish, as a volunteer position in the office of the Governor of Arizona, the post of Civilian Aide to the Governor for Military Affairs; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Nick Volcheff, a long-time and valued employee of the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company, active in all phases of civic endeavor, particularly as it relates to the military community of Arizona, possesses the necessary background to fill this newly created position;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jack Williams, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby designate and appoint Nick Volcheff as Civilian Aide to the Governor for Military Affairs, with his appointment to commence immediately.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix this 6th day of June in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Nine and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Ninety-third.

Jack Williams
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Wesley Bolin
Secretary of State

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