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EXECUTIVE ORDER

No. 75 - 7

RELATING TO THE REVIEW AND COORDINATION
OF FEDERALLY FUNDED PROGRAMS OF STATE AGENCIES

WHEREAS, Section 204 of the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act of 1966, Title IV of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act of 1968, and Section 102(2) (c) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 establish certain responsibilities for the coordination of federal and federally assisted projects and programs; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Management and Budget, charged by Congress with the implementation of said Acts, has issued Circular A-95 (revised) pertaining thereto; and

WHEREAS, Circular A-95 describes a system through which the review and coordination of certain federal and federally assisted programs and projects may be accomplished; and

WHEREAS, such system includes a state clearinghouse and an appropriate number of areawide clearinghouses; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Arizona has designated the Arizona Office of Economic Planning and Development as the state clearinghouse; and

WHEREAS, the Governor has created, by executive order, the Arizona State Planning and Coordinating Committee to assist the state clearinghouse in its duties; and

WHEREAS, the Governor has designated the six councils of government in Arizona as areawide clearinghouses; and

WHEREAS, Circular A-95 specifies a list of federal assistance programs which are covered by the review and comment process; and

WHEREAS, said list of covered programs does not include all federal programs used by state agencies or of interest to the Governor of the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, a need exists for the review and coordination of all federally assisted programs of state agencies; and

WHEREAS, the state clearinghouse has been created, in part, to assist the Governor in the management of such federally assisted programs;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Raul H. Castro, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby order and direct:

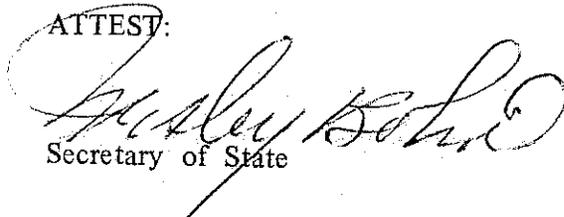
1. All state agencies, boards, commissions, and departments; and divisions thereof; shall submit to the state clearinghouse notice to intent to apply for all federal funds and assistance to be used in the operation of the programs of that state agency, board, commission, or department; or division thereof; or to be administered by that state agency, board, commission or department; or division thereof.
2. All state agencies, boards, commissions, and departments; or divisions thereof, which administer federally funded programs and activities shall require that applicants for those funds shall also submit a notice of intent to the state clearinghouse prior to the award of those funds.
3. The notices of intent shall be submitted in accordance with established procedures of the state clearinghouse.

4. The notices of intent shall be reviewed by the Arizona State Planning and Coordinating Committee in accordance with the provisions of Executive Order 75-6 and by such other appropriate entities as are consistent with the established procedures of the state clearinghouse.
5. The results of the reviews shall be submitted to the Governor in a manner which the Governor may prescribe in order to assist the Governor in managing the affairs of his office.
6. No state agency, board, commission, or department; or division thereof; shall submit an application for federal funds to a federal agency prior to filing a notice of intent with the state clearinghouse.
7. This order shall become effective 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 thirtieth day of May in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-five, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Ninety-ninth.


GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Secretary of State