EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 3

In accordance with provisions of P.L. 90-351, the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 as amended, and P.L. 90-445, the Juvenile Delinquency Act, the duties of the Governor's Commission on Crime Prevention and Control shall include but not be limited to the following:

1. To develop a comprehensive statewide plan for the improvement of law enforcement throughout the State, which plan shall satisfy the requirements of the Crime Control and Juvenile Delinquency Acts and regulations issued thereunder, and to define, develop and correlate programs and projects for improvement in law enforcement.

2. To establish priorities for law enforcement improvement in Minnesota; to provide information to prospective aid recipients on the benefits of the program and procedures for grant application; to encourage grant proposal projects from local units of government for law enforcement planning and action efforts; to encourage project proposals from state law enforcement agencies; to evaluate local applications for aid and to award funds to local and state units of government; to monitor progress and audit expenditures of grants by local and state units of government; to encourage regional and metropolitan area planning efforts, action projects and cooperative arrangements; to coordinate the state law enforcement plan with other federally supported programs relating to or having an impact on law enforcement; to oversee and evaluate the total state effort in plan implementation and law enforcement improvement; and to collect statistics and other data relevant to law enforcement in Minnesota.

3. To apply for and accept grants from the Federal Law Enforcement Assistance Administration organized under the Crime Control Act and to approve expenditure and disbursement of any such funds acquired in a manner consistent with the Crime Control Act and the Constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota.

4. To apply for and accept grants from the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare and to approve expenditure and disbursement of such funds acquired in a manner consistent with the Juvenile Delinquency Act and the Constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota.
5. To apply for and accept grants from any public or private source for the purpose of comprehensive law enforcement planning and implementation of improvements and innovations in law enforcement and criminal justice administration, including matters related to the prevention and control of juvenile delinquency, and to expend such funds in a manner consistent with the Constitution and laws of the State of Minnesota.

6. To establish guidelines and procedures to be employed in the evaluation of applications for grants for projects and programs, in making such grants, in the awarding of such grants, and in ensuring that funds are used, in accordance with approved applications and in accordance with the Juvenile Delinquency and Crime Control Acts and regulations issued thereunder.

The Governor's Commission on Crime Prevention and Control shall consist of an Executive Director; office personnel who shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Executive Director; and a Commission on Crime Prevention and Control.

The members of the Commission shall be appointed by the Governor and their terms shall be indeterminate. Those appointed to the Commission shall be representative of state and local law enforcement agencies, local units of general government, public agencies and concerned and knowledgeable citizens. The Chairman will be appointed by the Governor and shall serve at his pleasure.

The Executive Director shall be appointed by the Governor and shall serve at his pleasure. In addition to discharging the duties of the Governor's Commission on Crime Prevention and Control as specified in this Executive Order, the Executive Director shall have such duties as may be assigned by the Governor, including the responsibility for recommending policy and program alternatives to the Governor. The Executive Director shall speak for the Governor in all matters relating to the Commission. The Executive Director shall establish rules for the Commission which provide for coordination with other state agencies.
Provided that all responsibility and authority imposed upon the Governor's Commission on Crime Prevention and Control pursuant to this delegation shall be exercised within such policy framework, directives and instructions as may be issued by me as Governor and State Planning Officer, and that final approval of the State Law Enforcement Plan shall be subject to my explicit approval.

This Executive Order shall supersede Executive Order No. 28.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1971.

Wendell R. Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

/s/ Arlen Erdaahl
Secretary of State