I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, pursuant to the authority and responsibility assigned to me by Minnesota Statutes Chapter 4 and Laws of 1969, Chapter 1122, and Laws of 1971, Chapters 153 and 174, do hereby order the following in regard to the delineation of development regions and the formation of regional development commissions.

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 60 dated June 12, 1970, was amended on December 30, 1970, to provide for the delineation of two new regions, Six East and Six West, and such delineation was requested by the various local governments affected, and final establishment of this delineation was made contingent upon the requirement that formation of regional development commissions in both regions occur by June 30, 1971, and

WHEREAS, Such requirement to form regional development commissions by June 30, 1971, has been too restrictive and does not provide local governments in both regions the necessary time nor flexibility for their action,

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor and State Planning Officer of the State of Minnesota, I hereby order the following for the counties affected by the December 30, 1970, amendment to Executive Order No. 60:

1. The interim delineation of Regions Six East and Six West as per amended Executive Order No. 60 will continue. This delineation is as follows:

   Six East - Kandiyohi, McLeod, Meeker and Renville;
   Six West - Big Stone, Chippewa, Grant, Lac Qui Parle, Pope, Stevens, Swift, Traverse, and Yellow Medicine.

2. The requirement to form a regional development commission by June 30, 1971, in order to retain this interim delineation is hereby removed.

3. Local governments in Regions Six East and Six West shall have an additional sixty (60) days from the date of issuance of this Executive Order No. 5 to make their wishes known as to the delineation of the boundaries of Regions Six East and Six West.
4. On September 1, 1971, an Executive Order establishing the boundaries of Six East and Six West will be issued without the requirement to form regional development commissions, and such Executive Order shall take into consideration any new resolutions from local governments in both regions indicating preferences for the final delineation of the two regions.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1971.

WENDELL R. ANDERSON  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:  
ARLEN ERDAHL  
Secretary of State

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