EMERGENCY EXECUTIVE ORDER 99-14
PROVIDING FOR ASSISTANCE TO
OFFICIALS IN CARLTON COUNTY

I, JESSE VENTURA, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the applicable statutes, do hereby issue this Emergency Executive Order:

WHEREAS, late in the evening on May 26, 1999, Ms. Kathlyn Poirier was abducted by a man from a convenience store near Interstate 35 in Moose Lake, Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, authorities believe that Ms. Poirier may be found within Carlton County; and

WHEREAS, local law enforcement agencies do not have the resources to conduct an effective, organized grid search; and

WHEREAS, the sheriff of Carlton County has requested assistance from the National Guard;
NOW, THEREFORE, I hereby order that:

1. The Adjutant General of Minnesota order to state active duty on or about May 28, 1999, in the service of the State, such elements and equipment of the military forces of the State as required and for such period of time as necessary to conduct an organized search.

2. The Adjutant General is authorized to purchase, lease or contract goods or services necessary to accomplish this mission.

3. The cost of subsistence, transportation, fuel, pay, and allowances of said individuals shall be defrayed from the general fund of the State as provided for in Minnesota Statutes 1998, sections 192.49, subd. 1, 192.51 and 192.52.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1998, section 4.035, subd. 2, this Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until such date as elements of the military forces of the State are no longer required.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this first day of June, 1999.

JESSE VENTURA
Governor

Filed According to Law:

MARY KIFFMEYER
Secretary of State