

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION
REORGANIZATION ORDER NO. 174

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 16B.37, the following administrative reorganization is made with the prior approval of the Governor.

In order to improve efficiency and avoid duplication in the operation of state government, the Minnesota Department of Finance's powers and duties for administering an incentive payment program for the owners or operators of qualified hydropower and wind energy conversion facilities, including powers to administer appropriations from the general fund to make incentive payments required under Minnesota Statutes 1995 Supplement, section 216C.41, are transferred to the Minnesota Department of Public Service.

The Department of Finance shall give to the Department of Public Service all contracts, books, maps, plans, papers, records, supplies, and equipment relating to the transferred activities.

The Department of Public Service is the legal successor in all respects of the Department of Finance in regard to the transferred duties. The bonds, resolutions, contracts, and liabilities of the Department of Finance become the bonds, resolutions, contracts, and liabilities of the Department of Public Service.

Any proceeding, court action, prosecution, or other business or matter pending on the effective date of the transfer may be conducted and completed by the Department of Public Service in the same manner, under the same terms and conditions, and with the same effect as though it involved or were commenced and conducted or completed prior to the transfer by the Department of Finance.

The Commissioner of Finance shall make the necessary financial determinations in accordance with Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 16B.37, subd. 3.

In accordance with Minnesota Statutes 1994, section 16B.37, subd. 2, this order is effective upon filing with the Secretary of State and shall remain in effect until amended or superseded.

APPROVED:



ARNE H. CARLSON, GOVERNOR

3-7-96
DATE



ELAINE S. HANSEN, COMMISSIONER
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

3-7-96
DATE

FILED ACCORDING TO LAW:



JOAN ANDERSON GROVE
SECRETARY OF STATE

4/8/96
DATE

