EXECUTIVE ORDER OF AUGUST 30, 1979

01.01.1979.18

ASSIGNMENT OF EXECUTIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENTS, OFFICES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS TO PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS OF STATE GOVERNMENT

- WHEREAS, By Executive Order dated September 4, 1969, as amended, a Board of Ethics was established within the Department of Personnel of the State government pursuant to Section 14A of Article 41 of the Annotated Code of Maryland; and
- WHEREAS, By Chapter 513 of the Laws of Maryland of 1979, the General Assembly enacted the Maryland Public Ethics Law which created the State Ethics Commission and repealed Section 14A of Article 41; and
- WHEREAS, The General Assembly did not assign the State Ethics Commission to a principal department of the State;
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, HARRY HUGHES, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY ARTICLE II OF THE CONSTITUTION AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 41, SECTION 15C OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, HEREBY PROMULGATE THE FOLLOWING ORDER, AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER 01.01.1971.02, AS AMENDED BY EXECUTIVE ORDER 01.01.1976.06, EFFECTIVE AS OF JULY 1, 1979:
 - 1. The Maryland Commission for Latin American Affairs is hereby assigned to the Department of Economic and Community Development;
 - 2. The Governor's Commission on Migratory Labor is hereby assigned to the Department of Human Resources;
 - The Greater Laurel Hospital Authority is hereby assigned to the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene;
 - [4. The Governor's Commission to Study Maryland Folklife is hereby assigned to the Department of Economic and Community Development.] AND
 - 4. THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION IS HEREBY ASSIGNED TO THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. ANY FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE BOARD OF ETHICS SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION BY APPROVED BUDGET AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 8 OF ARTICLE 15A OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND.