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OF MONTANA

EXECUTIVE ORDER PROCLAIMING CONDITIONS
AS DEFINED IN SECTIONS 10-3-103 AND 10-3-302, MCA,
EXIST IN MONTANA;
AND AN ORDER ACTIVATING
THE MONTANA NATIONAL GUARD;
PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, members of collective bargaining units covering employees of the State of Montana have gone out on strike over the issue of state pay; and

WHEREAS, striking employees have walked off their jobs at the various State of Montana Department of Institutions facilities; and

WHEREAS, these State facilities provide housing, personal care and health services to a large population of persons presently located at the facilities; and

WHEREAS, there is an immediate and urgent need to provide state resources in order to protect life, property and to avoid injuries; and

WHEREAS, these conditions authorize the Governor to activate state resources and the Montana National Guard to protect life, health and property and authorizes the Governor under Section 10-3-311, MCA, to expend funds from the general fund to meet contingencies and needs.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Stan Stephens, Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor under the Constitution of the State of Montana and Title 10, Chapter 3, MCA, do hereby find (1) that conditions as defined in Sections 10-3-103 and 10-3-302, MCA, exists in the State of Montana, and (2) order the activation of the Montana National Guard to perform State Active Duty in support of the continuation of services at the Montana State Department of Institutions facilities affected by this walkout.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Adjutant General for the

State of Montana order to State Active Duty those members of the Montana National Guard required to provide necessary services to State Institutions.

This Order is effective immediately.

GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this 24th day of April in the year of our LORD, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-one.

Stan Stephens

STAN STEPHENS
Governor

ATTEST:

Mike Cooney
MIKE COONEY, Secretary of State