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**State of Montana**  
**Office of the Governor**



**Executive Order No. 8-93**

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EXECUTIVE ORDER ASSIGNING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
INVESTIGATIVE FUNCTIONS ALLOCATED TO  
THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE  
IMPLEMENTING THE PROVISIONS OF HOUSE BILL 609

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WHEREAS, the 53rd Legislature passed House Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414), which transferred the investigative functions relating to alcoholic beverage licensing and enforcement, tobacco, and public assistance from the Department of Revenue to the Department of Justice; and

WHEREAS, section 26 of House Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414) authorizes the Governor, by Executive Order, to assign to the Department of Justice those investigative functions allocated to the Department of Revenue relating to the implementation of House Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414); and

WHEREAS, section 26 of House Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414) takes effect April 19, 1993.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARC RACICOT, Governor of the State of Montana, by virtue of the authority vested in me pursuant to

1 the Constitution and laws of the State of Montana do hereby  
2 order that the investigative functions allocated to the  
3 Department of Revenue relating to the implementation of House  
4 Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414) are transferred to  
5 the Department of Justice.

6 1. STATUTES GOVERNING THE TRANSFER

7 Sections 2-15-131 through 2-15-137, MCA, concerning the  
8 rights of state personnel, rights to property, rules and  
9 orders, legal proceedings, rights to property, rules and  
10 orders, legal proceedings, rights and duties under existing  
11 transactions, references and federal aid, govern the transfer  
12 of investigative functions, as provided in section 25, House  
13 Bill 609 (Laws of Montana, 1993, ch. 414).

14 2. EFFECTIVE DATE OF TRANSFER

15 The transfer of functions identified in this Executive  
16 Order shall take effect July 1, 1993.

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18 GIVEN under my hand and the  
19 GREAT SEAL of the State of  
20 Montana, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of  
JULY in the  
21 year of our LORD, One Thousand,  
22 Nine Hundred and Ninety-Three.

23 Marc Racicot  
MARC RACICOT, Governor

24 ATTEST: •

25 Mike Cooney  
26 MIKE COONEY, Secretary of State  
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