

STATE OF MONTANA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 19-87

EXECUTIVE ORDER TRANSFERRING CERTAIN FUNCTIONS OF
THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES
TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY SERVICES

WHEREAS, Section 117, Chapter 609, Laws of 1987, provides that the "governor may by executive order assign to the department of family services in a manner consistent with this act functions allocated to the department of social and rehabilitation services, county welfare offices or departments, the department of institutions, or the youth court of the district court by the 50th Legislature and not transferred by this act"; and

WHEREAS, the 50th Legislature passed and I signed the following bills:

1. HB 126, Ch. 67, L. 1987 (now Section 53-5-701 et seq.), which is the Montana Older Americans Act. The Act requires the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services to develop a plan to coordinate services for older Montanans.
2. SB 185, Ch. 223, L. 1987 (now Section 53-5-801 et seq.), which provides that there shall be an office of legal and long term care ombudsman services in the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TED SCHWINDEN, in accordance with the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and the laws of the State of Montana, and more specifically pursuant to section 2-7-103, MCA, and Ch. 609, L. 1987, do hereby transfer, retroactive to October 1, 1987, to the Department of Family Services as those functions assigned to the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services Chapter 67, Montana Session Laws of 1987, and do hereby transfer, retroactive to July 1, 1987, those functions assigned to the

Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services by Chapter 223,
Montana Session Laws of 1987.

This Order is effective immediately.

GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT
SEAL of the State of Montana, this
22nd day of October, in the year
of our LORD, One-Thousand Nine
Hundred and Eighty-Seven.


TED SCHWINDEN, Governor

ATTEST:


JIM WALTERMIRE, SECRETARY OF STATE