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**EXECUTIVE ORDERS
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RECORD GROUP 95

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Record Group 95 consists of the Executive Orders from the following Tennessee Governors: Frank G. Clement (1953-1955; 1956-1958; 1963-1966), Buford Ellington (1959-1962; 1967-1970), Winfield Dunn (1971-1974), Ray Blanton (1975-1978), Lamar Alexander (1979-1986), Ned Ray McWherter (1987-1995) and Don Sundquist (1995-2003). Executive Orders allow the Governor of the State to have a more direct role in the policy-making process of State Government. Questions have been raised concerning the Governor's constitutional power to issue such orders. Article III, Section I of the Tennessee Constitution (1870) states that "the Supreme Executive power of this State shall be vested in a Governor." The Supreme Court has stated that executive power is the authority to administer and enforce the law. The State Constitution fails to give a specific definition of executive powers.

Executive Orders deal primarily with appropriations, creation of state agencies, appointments, etc. Very rarely does the Executive issue and order activating the Tennessee National Guard.

A list of each Executive Order and its purpose has been enclosed.

CONTAINER LIST

ORDER

DESCRIPTION

Series Number: 1

Series Title: Frank G. Clement First Term 1953-1955

Box 1

- 1 Appropriation – Special Breed Shows – Polled Hereford Shoe in Knoxville
- 2 Appropriation – Tennessee School for the Deaf
- 3 Appropriation – Expenses incurred by the Governor’s Official Party to
President Eisenhower’s Inauguration
- 4 Appropriation – Purchase of land adjoining James K. Polk home for Memorial
- 5 Appropriation – Financial Research Committee – Travel Expense
- 6 Appropriation – Expenses of VFW Drum and Bugle Corps to National Convention
- 7 Appropriation – American Legion Band and Drum and Bugle Corps. – Expenses to
attend American Legion National Convention
- 8 Appropriation – Expenses – Department of Public Health
- 9 Appropriation – Travel Expenses – Department of Agriculture
- 10 Appropriation – Expenses – To attend National Governors Conference
- 11 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 12 Appropriation – Tennessee Walking Horse National Conference
- 13 Appropriation – Expenses – Highway Study Commission
- 14 Appropriation – Department of Safety, Division of Highway Patrol – Increase
Staff and Equipment
- 15 Appropriation – Expenses – Retirement Systems Study – Tennessee Teachers
Retirement System
- 16 Appropriation – Division of State Information, Department of Conservation
- 17 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 18 Jurisdiction of Weigh Stations – Transferred from the Department of Safety to the
Department of Finance and Taxation
- 19 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 20 Appropriation – Department of Institutions – State Penitentiary
- 21 Appropriation – Carter House Association – Restoration of Carter House on
Franklin Battlefield
- 22 Appropriation – Prisoner Readjustment
- 23 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – Miss Tennessee to
Miss America Pageant
- 24 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 25 Appropriation – Construction of State Office Building
- 26 Appropriation – University of Tennessee – Research Study for Dept. of Labor

- 27 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 28 Appropriation – Memphis State College – Installation of Elevator in the Administration Building for the Handicapped
- 29 Appropriation – Confederate Memorial to the Unknown Dead – Building of a fence around the cemetery
- 30 Appropriation – Expenses – Tennessee Safety Council
- 31 Appropriation – Special Breed Shows
- 32 Appropriation – Expenses – Retirement Systems Study Committee
- 33 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses for the VFW Drum and Bugle Corps. Trip to National Convention
- 34 Appropriation – State Funding Board – Transfer of Funds
- 35 Appropriation – Division of Highway Patrol
- 36 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – American Legion Band to National Convention
- 37 Appropriation – Disabled American Veterans
- 38 Appropriation – Publication of Election Notices
- 39 Appropriation – Disabled American Veterans
- 40 Appropriation – Department of Agriculture – Special Breed Shows
- 41 Appropriation – Upgrading of National Guard Units, Facilities, equipment, etc.
- 42 Appropriation – Department of Agriculture – Special Breed Shows – National Walking Horse Breeders Association
- 43 Appropriation – Repairs to the State Capitol Building
- 44 Appropriation – East Tennessee State College – For completion of Music – ROTC Building
- 45 Appropriation – Department of Education – Special School Milk Program
- 46 Appropriation – Committee on Uniform Laws – For Increased Assessment of the State of Tennessee by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws
- 47 Appropriation – Tennessee Walking Horse National Celebration
- 48 Appropriation – Tennessee School for the Blind
- 49 Appropriation – Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute
- 50 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Public Affairs Institute
- 51 Appropriation – Department of Institutions -- Administrative
- 52 Appropriation – Governor's Office -- Payroll
- 53 Appropriation – Department of Accounts – Additional Employees
- 54 Appropriation – Department of Institutions -- Administrative
- 55 Appropriation – Tennessee Safety Council
- 56 Appropriation – Department of Personnel
- 57 Appropriation – National Governor's Conference
- 58 Appropriation – Division of State Information
- 59 Appropriation – Legislative Expense
- 60 Appropriation – Department of Institutions

- 61 Appropriation – Department of Accounts
- 62 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Department of Conservation
- 63 Appropriation – State Treasurer – Operating Expenses – 4th Quarter
- 64 Appropriation – Tennessee Safety Council
- 65 Appropriation – Department of Labor
- 66 Appropriation – Department of Agriculture – Photographic Equipment
- 67 Appropriation – Division of State Information
- 68 Appropriation – Tennessee Safety Council
- 69 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Davy Crockett Cabin – Reconstruction
- 70 Appropriation – Division of State Information – VFW
- 71 Appropriation – State Purchasing Department
- 72 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Parade Float – National American Legion Float
- 73 Appropriation – State Building Commission – Operating Expense
- 74 Appropriation – Disabled American Veterans
- 75 Appropriation – Division of State Information – VFW
- 76 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Children’s Museum
- 77 Appropriation – Governor’s Rewards – Judicial Department – Payment of reward to man who provided information which led to arrest
- 78 Appropriation – Division of State Information – DAV
- 79 Appropriation – Highway Patrol – Equipment
- 80 Appropriation – Department of Agriculture – Special Breed Shows. National Walking Horse Breeders Association
- 81 Appropriation – Department of Corrections – Crooked Fork Creek
- 82 Appropriation – Division of State Parks
- 83 Appropriation – Adjutant General, Civil Defense
- 84 Appropriation – Library and Archives – Beeler Memorial
- 85 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Sending American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps and Band to the National Convention
- 86 Appropriation – Division of Insect and Plant Disease Control – Control the Spread of the Japanese Beetle
- 87 Appropriation – Spencer T. Hunt Fund – Dickson and Humphrey’s Counties
- 88 Appropriation – Division of State Information – TVA

Series Number: 2

Series Title : Frank G. Clement 2nd Term 1956-1958

Box 2

- 1 Appropriation – Governor’s Office
- 2 Appropriation – Judicial Conference – Judge’s Expenses
- 3 Appropriation – South American Correspondence Program

- 4 Appropriation – Expenses – Judges and Attorneys
- 5 Appropriation – State Building Commission
- 6 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Tennessee Jaycee Promotion at National Convention
- 7 Appropriation – Department of Accounts – Purchase of Machine
- 8 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Float for Tennessee in Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington
- 9 Appropriation – National Employ the Physically Handicapped
- 10 Appropriation – Law Library – Jackson
- 11 Appropriation – Department of Correction – Purchase of Bibles for Prisoners
- 12 Appropriation – Provides for System of Civil Defense
- 13 Appropriation – Vocational School for Colored Boys
- 14 Appropriation – Tennessee State Penitentiary – Operating Funds
- 15 Appropriation – Vocational Training School for White Boys
- 16 Appropriation – Governor’s Rewards – Judicial Department
- 17 Comprehensive Travel Policy
- 18 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – Miss Tennessee
- 19 Appropriation – Blind Girls Home – Operating Expenses
- 20 Appropriation – Retirement System Study – Payment to Consultant
- 21 Appropriation – Repairs to State Capitol – Electric Roll Call Machines in the Senate
- 22 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Reimbursement of Emergency Expenditures in the Governor’s Office
- 23 Appropriation – Dormitory Contingency Reserve – Construction of Dorms at TPI
- 24 Appropriation – Department of Purchasing – Complete Operations of Fiscal Year
- 25 Appropriation – Disabled American Veterans
- 26 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Allotment to Disabled American Veterans
- 27 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – American Legion Band to National Convention
- 28 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – VFW to National Convention
- 29 Appropriation – Department of Accounts
- 30 Appropriation – Special Breed Show – Tennessee Walking Horse Breeders Association
- 31 Division of State Information – Contribution – Citizens for TVA
- 32 Appropriation – Department of Accounts – Purchase of Office Equipment
- 33 Appropriation – Retirement System Study
- 34 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Allotment to DAV
- 35 Appropriation – Highway Patrol
- 36 Appropriation – National Guard – Emergency Expenses
- 37 Appropriation – Department of Agriculture – Special Milk Program
- 38 Appropriation – Vocational School for the Colored Girls

- 39 Appropriation – Public Service Commission – Expenses
- 40 Appropriation – Department of Safety – Highway Patrol – Purchase of a Helicopter
- 41 Appropriation – Industrial and Agricultural Development Commission -- Expenses
- 42 Appropriation – Department of Safety – Highway Patrol – Employment of
Additional Troops and purchase of Additional Equipment
- 43 Appropriation – Governor’s Office – Operations during 2nd Quarter
- 44 Appropriation – Sales Tax – Special Account
- 45 Appropriation – Governor’s Office – Operations – 3rd Quarter
- 46 Appropriation – State Building Commission
- 47 Appropriation – Retirement Systems Study
- 48 Appropriation – Department of Corrections – Purchase Bibles for Prisoners
- 49 Appropriation – Retirement System Study
- 50 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Citizens for TVA
- 51 Appropriation – Miscellaneous Appropriation Bill
- 52 Appropriation – State Parks – Maintenance and Construction
- 53 Appropriation – Legislative Expense
- 54 Appropriation – Division of State Information
- 55 Appropriation – Highway Study Commission – Expenses
- 56 Appropriation – Legislative Expenses
- 57 Appropriation – National Employ the Handicapped Committee
- 58 Appropriation – Appropriation – Governor’s Office – Operations
- 59 Appropriation – Division of State Information – High School Bands performing at
Inaugural Ceremony
- 60 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – Selective Service
Board
- 61 Appropriation – Governor’s Office – Fourth Quarter Operations
- 62 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – National Convention
Junior Chamber of Commerce
- 63 Appropriation – Department of Purchasing – Operations – Fourth Quarter
- 64 Appropriation – Comptroller of the Treasury – Purchase of off-set press machine
- 65 Appropriation – Tennessee Code Commission – Purchase of Tennessee Code
Annotated
- 66 Appropriation – Tennessee Lions Convention Committee
- 67 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Junior Chamber of Commerce
- 68 Appropriation – Secretary of State – Administrative Operations
- 69 Appropriation – Comptroller’s Office – To Complete Fiscal Year
- 70 Appropriation – Department of Local Finance
- 71 Appropriation – Division of State Information
- 72 Appropriation – Division of State Information – DAV Expenses to National
Convention
- 73 Appropriation – Division of State Information – State Contribution to DAV
- 74 Appropriation – UT Agricultural Experiment Station – Erection of Greenhouse for
Strawberry Plants

- 75 Appropriation – Division of State – Expenses – Miss Tennessee Pageant
- 76 Appropriation – Retirement System Study – Consultant Fees
- 77 Appropriation – Tennessee Code Commission – Partial Cost of Tennessee Code Annotated
- 78 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – American Legion Band to National Convention
- 79 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Grant to Franklin County for Retarded Children
- 80 Appropriation – Committee on Uniform Laws – Assessment to State of Tennessee
- 81 Appropriation – Agricultural Fairs – Mid-State Colored Fair
- 82 Appropriation – Department of Corrections – Purchase of Bibles for Correctional Institutions
- 83 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Tennessee Forest Festival
- 84 Appropriation – Tennessee Walking Horse Shows
- 85 Appropriation – Agricultural Fairs – Grant to Cumberland Park Horseman’s Association
- 86 Appropriation – Department of Corrections
- 87 Appropriation – Governor’s Conference on Education
- 88 Appropriation – Child Welfare Services
- 89 Appropriation – Miscellaneous Appropriation Bill – Expenses – Cyclone Fence Company
- 90 Appropriation – Industrial and Agricultural Development Commission – Expansion of Program
- 91 Appropriation – Disabled American Veterans
- 92 Appropriation – Governor’s Office
- 93 Appropriation – State Property Administrator – Appraisal Fees
- 94 Appropriation – Department of Accounts – Salaries
- 95 Appropriation – Department of Education – Several Mentally Retarded – Oak Ridge School for the Mentally Retarded
- 96 Appropriation – Division of State Information – Expenses – American Legion Band to National Convention
- 97 Appropriation – Agriculture – Tennessee Walking Horse Show
- 98 Appropriation – Department of Accounts – Salaries
- 99 Appropriation – Committee on Uniform Law – Expenses
- 100 Appropriation – Tennessee Safety Council – Water Safety Activities
- 101 Appropriation – Tennessee Safety Council – Purchase of Water Safety Signs

Series Number: 3

Series Title: Buford Ellington First Term 1959-1962

Box 3

- 1 Preparation and Handling of Executive Orders
- 2 Establishment of the Division of Finance and Administration
- 3 Establishment of the Department of Conservation and Commerce
- 4 Designation of Department of Finance and Taxation as Department of Revenue
- 5 Establishment of Division of Local Finance and Administrative Office of the State Funding Board as Divisions of the Department of Audit under the State Comptroller of the Treasury
- 6 Establishment of the Division of Retirement
- 7 Inclusion of the Deputy Commissioner of Community Services and the Fiscal Services Section of the Department of Mental Health in the Classified Section of the State Civil Service System
- 8 Designating the Department of Safety to Administer the Provisions of Chapter 212 Public Acts of 1959
- 9 Acquisition and Disposal of any interest in Real Property
- 9a Pertaining to Classified Service
- 10 Inclusion of Headmaster and other positions of the Mentally Disturbed Re-Education Division of the Department of Mental Health in the Classified Service of the State Civil Service System
- 10a Creation of the Great Smokey Mountain Park Commission
- 11 Transfer of the Administrative Duties, Personnel, and all funds of the office of the Executive Secretary of the State Board of Equalization from the Department of Revenue to the Office of the State Comptroller
- 12 Rescinding of Executive Order # 10
- 13 Organization of and Assignment of Responsibilities for a State Emergency Planning Organization

Series Number: 4

Series Title: Frank G. Clement Third Term 1963-1966

- 14 Investigation – Department of Revenue
- 15 Establishing the Governor's Commission on the Status of Women
- 16 Establish a System and Fix Responsibility for Maintaining an inventory of State owned non-consumable Personal Property
- 17 Inclusion of the Personnel of the Office of Civil Defense, Military Department of \ Tennessee in the Classified Section of the State Civil Service System
- 18 An Order Establishing a Commission on Human Relations
- 19 Rescinding Executive Order #17

- 20 Amending Executive Order #1, Which Provides for the Preparation and Handling of Executive Orders
- 21 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Travel and Tourist Promotion Council
- 22 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Higher Education Facilities Commission
- 23 An Order Establishing the Mississippi River Parkway Commission
- 24 An Order Establishing the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy
- 25 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Pesticide Council
- 26 Inclusion of staff Positions of the Commission on Aging in the Classified Service of the State Civil Service System
- 27 Organization of and Assignment of Responsibilities for a State Emergency Planning Organization
- 28 Amending Executive Order #27

Series Number: 5

Series Title: Buford Ellington 2nd Term 1967-1970

Box 3a

- 1 An Order to Meet the Highway Safety Emergency Conditions
- 2 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Higher Education Facilities Commission
- 3 An Order to Organize the State Headquarters of the Tennessee National Guard into an Army Division and an Air Division Under Command of Officers of Suitable Rank
- 4 An Order to Continue the Great Smokey Mountain Park Commission
- 5 Establishing the Governor's Commission on the Status of Women
- 6 An Order Establishing the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy
- 7 An Order to Transfer the Responsibility for Perimeter Security of the Maximum Security Unit, Central State Psychiatric Hospital, from the Department of Mental Health to the Department of Correction
- 8 An Order Establishing the Governor's Marquette Tercentenary Committee
- 9 An Order Designating the Tennessee Department of Public Health as the Single State Agency to Administer a State Plan for Medical Assistance
- 10 An Order Establishing an Office of Urban and Federal Affairs
- 11 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Pesticide Council
- 12 An Order Designating the University of Tennessee as the State Agency to Administer State-wide Research and Training Programs Under Title VIII of the Housing Act of 1964
- 13 An Order Designating the Office of Urban and Federal Affairs as the State Agency to Administer the Provisions of Title IX of the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act of 1966

- 14 An Order Establishing the Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped
- 15 Order to Send Troops to Memphis to Aid that City's State of Disorder
- 16 An Order Establishing a Law Enforcement Planning Commission
- 17 An Order Establishing a System of Regions or Districts to Encourage Interlocal Cooperation and for Purposes of Comprehensive Planning and Development
- 18 An Order Establishing a Federal Grant-in-Aid Review System
- 19 An Order Placing Previously Exempt Positions of the Division of Surplus Property, Department of Education, in the Classified Service of the State Civil Service System
- 20 An Order Establishing an Advisory Committee to the Law Enforcement Planning Commission

Series Number: 6

Series Title: Winfield Dunn 1971-1974

Box 4

- 1 An Order Establishing the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy
- 2 An Order Authorizing the Governor's Study on Cost Control
- 3 An Order Establishing the Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped
- 4 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Higher Education Facilities Commission
- 5 An Order Placing Previously Exempt Positions of the Division of Surplus Property, Department of Education, in the Classified Service of the State Civil Service System
- 6 An Order Establishing a Review System for Federal Assistance Programs
- 7 An Order Establishing a System of Regions or Districts to Encourage Interlocal Cooperation and for Purposes of Coordinated Comprehensive Planning and Development at State and Regional Levels
- 8 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Pesticide Council
- 9 An Order Dispatching the National Guard to the City of Chattanooga
- 10 An Order Designating a Local Government Representative on the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy
- 11 Tennessee Public Service Employment Program
- 12 An Order Establishing the Governor's Committee for the Promotion of Country Music
- 13 An Order Relating to the Implementation of the Tennessee State Plan for Carrying out the Developmental Disabilities Act of 1970 and for the Establishment of a State Planning and Advisory Council as Required by the Act.
- 14 An Order Relating to the Printing Activities of the State Government

- 15 Southern Growth Policies Agreement
- 16 An Order Creating the Tennessee Manpower Council and Establishing
Comprehensive Manpower Planning as the Policy of State Government
- 17 Establishes a Policy of Assuring that all Minority Persons are Given Meaningful
Notice and Opportunity for Employment. Establishes an Affirmative Action
Program
- 18 An Order Relating to the Data Processing Activities of State Government
- 19 An Order Establishing the Commission on the Status of Women
- 20 Concerning the Death of Former Governor Buford Ellington
- 21 Inclusion of the Developmental Disabilities Unit in the Department of Mental
Health in the State of Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 22 An Order Transferring the Functions of the Tennessee Higher Education Facilities
Commission to the Tennessee Higher Education Commission
- 23 Creating the Office of Minority Business Enterprise
- 24 Inclusion of the Alcoholic and Drug Services Unit in the Department of Mental
Health in the Classified Service of the State of Tennessee Civil Service
Commission
- 25 Acquisition and Disposal of any Interest in Real Property
- 26 Inclusion of the Research and Statistics Section in the Department of Labor in the
Classified Service of the State of Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 27 An Order Directing the Commissioner of Personnel to Develop and Implement a
Performance Review System Applicable to Employees in the Executive Branch of
State Government
- 28 An Order Directing the Commissioner of Personnel to Develop and Implement a
Grievance Procedure for Employees in the Executive Branch of Tennessee State
Government
- 29 An Order Establishing Policy for the Utilization of State Owned Motor Vehicles
- 30 Missing
- 31 Creating the Tennessee Commission on the Status of Women
- 32 Inclusion of the Division of Occupational Safety in the Department of Labor in the
Classified Service Section of the Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 33 An Order Relating to the Implementation of the Tennessee State Plan for
Carrying out the Developmental Disabilities Act of 1970, and for the
Establishment of a State Planning and Advisory Council as Required by the Act
- 34 Creating the Office of Minority Business Enterprise
- 35 An Order Amending Executive Order #16, of January 10, 1972, Pertaining to the
Tennessee Manpower Council
- 36 Creates the Tennessee Manpower Services Council (Rescinds Executive
Orders 16 and 35)
- 37 Designating the Department of Safety as the Principal Agency for the
Development of a Criminal Justice Information System

- 38 An Order Establishing a State Energy Office and Specifying Responsibilities of such Office
- 39 Order to Create a Governor's Advisory Committee on Minority Economic Development
- 40 An Order Designating Medical Frequency Coordination Responsibilities to the Department of Public Health
- 41 Designating State Agencies and Departments to Administer the Disaster Relief Act of 1974

Series Number: 7

Series Title: Ray Blanton 1975-1978

Box 5

- 1 An Order Establishing the Policy of this Administration Relative to the Tennessee Sunshine Law
- 2 Designating State Agencies and Departments to Administer the Disaster Relief Act of 1974
- 3 Order to Create the Tennessee Manpower Services Council
- 4 Order Establishing a Review System for Federal Assistance Programs
- 5 An Order Establishing a System of Regions or Districts to Encourage Interlocal Cooperation and for Purposes of Coordinated Comprehensive Planning and Development
- 6 An Order Continuing the Functions of the Tennessee Higher Education Commission
- 7 Acquisition and Disposal of any Interest in Real Property
- 8 An Order Directing the Commissioner of Personnel to Develop and Implement an Administrative Appeals Procedure for Employees in the Executive Branch of Tennessee State Government
- 9 An Order Designating the Department of Safety as the Principal Agency for the Development of a Criminal Justice Information System
- 10 An Order Designating Medical Frequency Coordination Responsibilities to the Department of Public Health
- 11 An Order Directing the Division of Tourism and the Division of Hotel and Restaurant Inspection to report directly to the Governor's Office on all Activities
- 12 Inclusion of the Research and Statistics Section in the Department of Labor in the Classified Service of the State of Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 13 Inclusion of the Division of Occupational Safety in the Department of Labor in the Classified Service of the State of Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 14 An Order to Support the Development of a Master Plan for the Capitol Hill Complex
- 15 An Order Relating to the Data Processing Activities of State Government

- 16 An Order Establishing Policy for the Utilization and Assignment of State Owned Motor Vehicles
- 17 An Order Reorganizing the Tennessee Energy Office and Establishing the Duties Thereof
- 18 An Order Establishing the Division of Civil Defense and Emergency Preparedness, Department of Military, As Agency of State Government Having Responsibility And Authority for Planning Disaster Preparedness
- 19 An Order to Establish a Publications Committee and Define it's Responsibilities
- 20 An Order to Create a Governor's Advisory Committee on Minority Economic Development
- 21 Governor's Policy Committee for Training, Education and Career Development
- 22 An Order Establishing the Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped as a Division within the Department of Education
- 23 An Order Establishing the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy
- 24 An Order Dispatching the National Guard to the Tennessee State Prison
- 25 An Order to Clarify and Emphasize the Responsibility for State Surplus Personal Property and for Maintaining an Inventory of State Owned Non-Consumable Personal Property
- 26 Designed to Exempt the Tennessee Employment Security Department and the Board of Review from certain Provisions of the Tennessee Administrative Procedures Act
- 27 Inclusion of the Developmental Disabilities Section in the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation in the Classified Service of the Tennessee Civil Service Commission
- 28 An Order Relating to the Implementation of the Tennessee State Plan for carrying out the Developmental Disabilities Act of 1970 and for the Establishment of a State Planning and Advisory Council as Required by the Act
- 29 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Pesticide Council
- 30 An Order to Amend the Structure of the Tennessee Manpower Service Council
- 31 Affirmative Action Program
- 32 An Order Establishing a Committee to Study the Feasibility of No Fault Insurance in Tennessee
- 33 Missing
- 34 Establishes the Tennessee Office of Minority Business Enterprise
- 35 An Order to Establish the Tennessee Health Planning and Resource Development Authority
- 36 An Order Establishing a Task Force for Revision of Tennessee Statutes Relative to Sentence Structure, Probation and Parole
- 37 An Order Pertaining to the Governor's Affirmative Action Program
- 38 An Order Establishing the Division of Civil Defense and Emergency Preparedness

- 39 An Order Placing Previously Exempt Positions in the Executive Branch of Tennessee State Government in the Classified Service of the State Civil Service System
- 40 An Order Requiring the Most Efficient Use of Energy by State Departments and Agencies
- 41 Establishing a Review System for Federal Assistance Programs
- 42 An Order Establishing the Governor's Policy Committee on Technical Assistance
- 43 An Order Establishing a Metric Conversion Committee
- 44 An Order Directing the Creation of a Committee to Evaluate Model Legislation Prepared by Mental Health Law Project
- 45 Relating to the Use and Disposition of Records and Forms in the Operation of Tennessee State Government
- 46 Establishing a Procedure for Reimbursement of Travel Expenses for Members of the Tennessee Correctional Institute Board of Control
- 47 Establishing the Mississippi River Parkway Commission
- 48 An Order Expanding the Membership of the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Development Authority
- 49 Order to Continue the Governor's Policy Committee on Technical Assistance
- 50 Designating the Tennessee Law Enforcement Planning Agency as Responsible for Planning and Developing the Criminal Justice Information System
- 51 An Order to Support the Development of a Master Plan for the Capitol Hill Complex
- 52 An Order to Amend Executive Order #30
- 53 An Order Directing the Creation of a Committee to Evaluate the case of J. Roger Humphreys, an inmate of the Tennessee Department of Correction
- 54 An Order to Amend Executive Order #45 Relative to the use and disposition of Records and Forms in the Operation of Tennessee State Government
- 55 An Order Identifying the Regional Boundaries for Solid Waste Management in Tennessee
- 56 An Order Establishing a Procedure for Reimbursement of Travel Expenses for Members of the Commissioner's Committee on Correction and the Community
- 57 Creating the Tennessee Hazardous Materials Training Institute
- 58 Designating the Agency Responsible for Solid Waste Management
- 59 An Order to Establish and Designate the Tennessee Health Planning and Resources Development Authority as the State Agency Required under State Law to Establish the Statewide Health Coordinating Council
- 60 An Order Providing for the Restoration of Law and Order in the City of Memphis
- 61 An Order to Protect Employees in the Executive Branch of State Government between the Ages of Sixty Five and Seventy from Involuntary Separation Solely Because of Age
- 62 An Order Providing for the Restoration of Law and Order in the City of Memphis
- 63 An Order Pertaining to the Endangered Plant Species Program

- 64 Rescinds Executive Orders #38 and #57. Creates Tennessee Hazardous Materials Training Institute
- 65 An Order Relative to Necessary and Appropriate State Coordination and Participation with the Federal Insurance Administration under the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968
- 66 An Order to Establish a Small Business Purchasing and Contracting Program

Series Number: 8

Series Title: Lamar Alexander 2nd Term 1979-1986

Box 6

- 1 An Order Directing the Convening of a Governor's Jobs Conference for Memphis/ Shelby County
- 2 An Order Pertaining to the Establishment of an Executive Committee to Study Alcoholic Beverage Control
- 3 An Order Directing State Agencies and Departments to Cooperate and Assist in Restoring the Normal Distribution of Energy Resources and other related purposes
- 4 Rescinds Executive Order #3
- 5 An Order Pertaining to the Development of a Wild American Gensing Management Program
- 6 An Order Transferring Certain Functions of the Office of Urban and Federal Affairs
- 7 An Order to Establish the Tennessee Employment and Training Council
- 8 An Order Pertaining to Equal Employment Opportunity
- 9 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Film, Tape and Music Commission
- 10 An Order Acknowledging Taiwan, the Republic of China, as a Sister State
- 11 An Order Pertaining to the Endangered Plant Species Program
- 12 An Order Activating the Tennessee National Guard
- 13 An Order Establishing a System of Regions or Districts to Encourage Interlocal Cooperation and for Purposes of Coordinated Comprehensive Planning and Development at State and Regional Levels
- 14 An Order to Designate the Agency Responsible for Inspection and Approval of Construction of Health Care Facilities and Compliance with Safety Standards
- 15 Transferring the Mining Section in the Division of Water Quality Control in the Department of Public Health to the Surface Mining Division of the Department of Conservation
- 16 An Order to Transfer the Photography Unit From the Department of Tourist Development to the Department of General Services
- 17 An Order Transferring the Records Management Function from the Department of Finance and Administration to the Department of General Services
- 18 Establishing the Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped

- 19 Transferring the Tennessee Tomorrow Program from the Department of Veterans Affairs to the Department of Education
- 20 An Order Establishing the Division of Civil Defense and Emergency Preparedness, Department of Military, as the agency of State Government Having Responsibility and Authority for Planning Disaster Preparedness
- 21 An Order Directing the Department of Transportation to Cooperate and Assist in Restoring the Roads and Bridges in Houston County and the Cities of Erin and Stewart to Pre-Flood Condition
- 22 An Order Establishing the Authority of the Juvenile Justice Advisory Group over the Distribution of Grants in Aid to Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Projects in Tennessee
- 23 Missing
- 24 An Order to Transfer the Juvenile Justice Planning Division of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Planning Agency to the Tennessee State Planning Office and to Rename and Redefine the Powers of the Juvenile Justice Advisory Group
- 25 Missing
- 26 An Order Establishing the Governor's Special Task Force on Small Business
- 27 An Order to Assign the Administration of the Job Training Partnership Act to the Tennessee Department of Labor. Establish the Tennessee Job Training Coordinating Council
- 28 An Order Establishing the Governor's Homecoming Commission and to Provide for Tennessee Homecoming 86
- 29 An Order to Establish an Office on Aging, to Assign the Administration and Planning of Programs Under the Older Americans Act to the Department of Human Services
- 30 An Order Transferring the Tennessee Elevator Safety Board in the Department of Labor and its Functions to the Department of Insurance, Fire Marshall's Office
- 31 An Order Transferring the Tennessee Board of Boiler Rules in the Department of Labor and its Functions to the Department of Insurance, Fire Marshall's Office
- 32 An Order Transferring the Community
- 33 An Order Transferring the Division of Consumer Affairs in the Department of Agriculture and its Functions to the Department of Insurance
- 34 An Order Transferring the Forest Insect and Disease Control Program in the Department of Conservation and its Functions to the Department of Agriculture
- 35 An Order Transferring the Individual and family Grant Program in the Department of Military and its Functions to the Department of Human Services
- 36 An Order Transferring the Rest Area in the Department of Transportation and its Functions to the Department of Tourist Development
- 37 An Order Transferring the Division of Hotel and Restaurant Inspection in the Department of Tourist Development and its Functions to the Department of Public Health
- 38 An Order Transferring the Regulation of State Chartered Savings and Loans in the Department of Insurance and its Functions to the Department of Banking

- 39 An Order Transferring the Responsibility for Maintenance of Roads and Parking Areas in Parks from the Department of Conservation to the Department of Transportation
- 40 An Order Transferring the Division of Surface Mining in the Department of Conservation and its Functions to the Department of Public Health
- 41 An Order Transferring the Tennessee Private Employment Agency Board in the Department of Labor to the Department of Insurance, Division of Regulatory Boards
- 42 An Order Transferring the Division of Veterans Education in the Department of Education and its Functions to the Higher Education Commission
- 43 An Order Transferring toe Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, the Disability Determination Section and the Council for the Hearing Impaired from the Department of Education to the Department of Human Services
- 44 An Order Transferring the Water Resources Division in the Department of Conservation to the Department of Public Health
- 45 An Order Transferring the Authority for Certification of School Bus Drivers and School Bus Equipment in the Department of Education to the Department of Safety
- 46 An Order Continuing the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Academy; Designating the Department of Safety as the State Agency Responsible for the Administration of the Academy; and Establishing the Board of Control of the Tennessee Law Enforcement Training Agency
- 47 An Order Transferring the Responsibility for Investigating Fraud in the Medicaid Program from the Department of Public Health and Vesting it in the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation
- 48 An Order Transferring the Motor Vehicle Enforcement Officer Staff of the Motor Vehicle Division in the Department of Revenue and its Functions to the Department of Safety
- 49 An Order Transferring the Safe Growth Team in the Department of Conservation to the Department of Public Health
- 50 An Order Transferring Motor Vehicle Theft Investigation from the Department of Revenue to the Department of Safety
- 51 An Order Establishing an Inter-Agency Task Force for the Purpose of Detecting and Eradicating Marijuana Being Grown in the State of Tennessee
- 52 An Order Transferring the Regulation of Premium Finance Companies from the Department of Commerce and Insurance to the Department of Financial Institutions
- 53 An Order Transferring the Responsibility for Collecting Fees for the Hazardous Waste Remedial Action Fund from the Department of Revenue to the Department of Health

- 54 An Order Transferring the Responsibility for Determining and Publishing the Maximum Effective Rate of Interest per annum for Home Loans from the Commissioner of Commerce and Insurance to the Commissioner of Financial Institutions
- 55 An Order Transferring all USDA Donated Commodity Distribution Programs Administered by the Department of Human Services and Their Functions to the Department of Agriculture
- 56 An Order Creating the Tennessee Juvenile Justice Commission
- 57 An Order Creating the Information Systems Council for the Purpose of Establishing Policy and Guidelines Relating to Data Processing in the Operation Of Tennessee State Government
- 58 An Order Establishing a System of Providing for State and Local Government Review of Federal Grant and other Assistance Programs
- 59 An Order Activating the Tennessee National Guard
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- 61 An Order Transferring the Administration of the Senior Citizen Service Employment Program to the State Unit on Aging
- 62 An Order Authorizing the Department of Economic and Community Development to Establish a Plan for the State's Allocation of Industrial Development Bonds
- 63 Establishing Guidelines and Procedures Relative to the Approval, Use and Disposition of State Records and Forms
- 64 An Order transferring the collection of taxes imposed upon investment companies
- 65 An Order providing for the protection of wetlands
- 66 An Order to authorize the adaptive restoration of the Tennessee State Capitol
- 67 Missing
- 68 An Order directing agency cooperation for the Tennessee Recreation Action Program
- 69 An Order to create the Governor's Commission on Tennessee Outdoors
- 70 An Order Creating the Martin Luther King, Jr. State Holiday Committee
- 71 An Order transferring the cemetery Advisory Committee to the Department of Conservation
- 72 An Order establishing the Governor's Task Force on Day Care
- 73 An Order transferring to the Department of Human Services the position and Responsibilities of the Governor's Liaison for the employment of the handicapped
- 74 An Order appointing a state task force to study tort law reform
- 75 An Order authorizing the Department of Economic and Community Development to establish an allocation plan for the State's new private activity bond volume limitation
- 76 An Order to assign the administration of the proceeds of the bonds issued pursuant to chapter 861 of the Public Acts of 1986
- 77 An Order creating the committee on the future of Henning, Tennessee

- 78 An Order creating the United States Constitution Bicentennial Commission of Tennessee
- 79 An Order creating the I-181 Commission
- 80 An Order creating a commission to promote the objective of maintaining Highway 321 as a scenic and appropriate entrance to the Great Smokey Mountains National Park
- 81 An Order creating the Oak Ridge Corridor Committee

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- 1 An Order to Direct Cabinet Study of Issues Related to Indigent Health Care, January 20, 1987.
- 2 An Order Creating the Martin Luther King, Jr., State Holiday Committee, January 20, 1987.
- 3 An Order Requiring Financial Disclosure by Cabinet Members and Cabinet Level Staff, February 6, 1987.
- 4 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Emergency Management Agency Department of Military, as the Agency of State Government having Responsibility and Authority for Planning Disaster and Emergency Preparedness and Directing Response, February 13, 1987.
- 5 An Order to Continue the Establishment of the Tennessee Job Training Coordinating Council, and to Expand the Membership of said Council, March 24, 1987.
- 6 An Order Authorizing the Tennessee Housing Development Agency to Establish an Allocation Plan for the State's New Low-Income Housing Tax Credit Program created under the Tax Reform Act of 1986, March 31, 1987.
- 7 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Emergency Response Council to Coordinate Statewide hazardous Materials Planning, Response, and Community Right-To-Know as Required by Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (PL-499), April 1, 1987.
- 8 An Order to Assign the Administration of the Appropriation Enacted Pursuant to Item 45 Section 12, Chapter 937 of the Public Acts of 1986, April 5, 1987.
- 9 An Order Implementing the Retirement Incentive Plan Authorized by Public Chapter 243 of the Acts of 1987, May 28, 1987.
- 10 An Order to Assign the Administration of Certain Appropriations Enacted Pursuant to Certain Items of Chapter 457 of the Public Acts of 1987, July 17, 1987.
- 11 An Executive Order Creating a Special Task Force to Analyze the Housing Needs of Tennessee and to Propose Recommendations and Other Related Initiatives, August 14, 1987.

- 12 An Order Relative to Necessary and Appropriate State Coordination and Participation with the Federal Insurance Administration under National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as Amended and Rules and Regulations Promulgated There under, September 21, 1987.
- 13 An Order Pertaining to Fair and Representative Employment Opportunity, November 12, 1987.
- 14 An Order Directing that the Utility Management Review Board be Administratively Attached to
- 15 An Order Authorizing the Tennessee Housing Development Agency to Establish
- 16 An Executive Order Continuing a Special Task Force to Analyze the Housing Needs of Tennessee and to Purpose Recommendations and Other Related Initiatives, January 15, 1988.
- 17 An Executive Order Creating an Economic Cabinet Council, March 2, 1988.
- 18 An Order Re-Establishing the Information System Council, March 31, 1988.
- 19 An Order to Create a Cabinet Council on Services to Children and Youth, June 10, 1988.
- 20 An Order Transferring the Tennessee Board of Boiler Rules and the Tennessee Elevator Safety Board in the Department of Commerce and Insurance and their Respective Functions to the Department of Labor, June 28, 1988.
- 21 An Order Directing that the Utility Management Review Board be Administratively Attached to the Department of Health and Environment, June 28, 1988.
- 22 An Order to Assign the Administration of Certain Appropriations Enacted Pursuant to Certain Items of Chapter 1037 of the Public Acts of 1988,
- 23 An Order Changing the Name of the Governor's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities, October 7, 1988.
- 24 An Order Transferring the Licensing Authority of Certain Before and After School Child Care Facilities from the Department of Human Services to the Department of Human Services to the Department of Education, November 11, 1988.
- 25 An Order Creating the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and Health, February 9, 1989.
- 26 An Order to Continue the Establishment of the Tennessee Job Training Coordinating Council, and to Reconstitute the Membership of Said Council, March 2, 1989.
- 27 An Order Establishing An Inter-Agency Prescription Drug Enforcement Council for the Purpose of Sharing Information and Taking Action to Protect the Health, Safety and Welfare of the Citizens of the State of Tennessee, March 15, 1989.
- 28 An Order establishing the Clean Tennessee Advisory Council and Endorsing the Keep America Beautiful System, June 1, 1989

- 29 An Order Creating an Advisory Group to the Tennessee commission on Children and Youth, September 26, 1989.
- 30 An Order Expanding the Membership of the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness and Health, September 26, 1989.
- 31 An Order Establishing a Recycling Program in the Executive Branch of State Government, December 7, 1989
- 32 An Order Declaring a Moratorium on the Permitting of Additional Commercial Medical Waste Incinerators, January 11, 1990.
- 33 An Order Declaring a Moratorium on the Permitting of Additional Commercial Medical Waste Incinerators, February 14, 1990.
- 34 An Order Amending Executive Order No. 18 Relative to the Information Systems Council, April 24, 1990.
- 35 An Order Implementing the Retirement Incentive Plan Authorized by Public Chapter 961 of the Acts of 1990, April 30, 1990.
- 36 An Order Authorizing the Tennessee Housing Development Agency to Establish as Allocation Plan for the State's Low Income Housing Tax Credit, and Approving Such Plan, As Required by the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989, June 1, 1990.
- 37 An Order Transferring the Division of Motor Vehicles in the Department of Revenue and its Related functions and the Administration of the Tennessee Motor Vehicle Title and Registration Law from the Department of Revenue to the Department of Safety, June 29, 1990.
- 38 An Order Relating to the Use and Disposition of Records and Forms in the Operation of Tennessee State Government, October 12, 1990.
- 39 An Order Setting fourth the Policy of the State of Tennessee with Respects to State Employees who are Members of the Reserve or National Guard and Who have been called to Full Times Military duty by the President of the United States, October 18, 1990.
- 40 An Order Transferring the Division of Parks and Recreation and the Tennessee Historical commission in the Department of Conservation and its Related Functions and the Administration of Related Statutes from the Department of Conservation to the Department of Tourist Development, February 4, 1991.
- 41 An Order Transferring the Division of Forestry in the Department of Conservation and its Related Functions and the Administration of the Tennessee Forestry Act from the Department of Conservation to the Department of Agriculture, February 4, 1991.
- 42 An Order Transferring the Bureau of Environment in the Department of Health and Environment and its Related Functions and the Administration of the Tennessee Environmental Statutes from the Department of Health and Environment to the Department of Conservation, February 4, 1991.
- 43 An Order Amending Executive Order No. 39 with Respects to State Employees who are Members of the Reserve or National Guard and who have been Called to Fill Time Military Duty by the President of the United States, February 4, 1991.

- 44 An Order Transferring the Rest Area System in the Department of Tourist Development and their related Functions to the Department of Transportation, February 4, 1991.
- 45 An Order Re-designating the Governor's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities as the Tennessee Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities and to Amend Prior Executive Orders Relative Thereto, February 22, 1991.
- 46 An Order Imposing a Moratorium on the Permitting of Additional Commercial Medical Waste Processing Facilities and Modifying Executive Order No. 32, February 22, 1991.
- 47 An Order to Create a Tennessee Criminal Justice Statistical Analysis Center Within the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, March 22, 1991.
- 48 An Order Indefinitely Suspending the Implementation of Executive Order 40, June 19, 1991.
- 49 An Order Transferring the Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services in the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and its Related Functions And the Administration of the Alcohol and Drug Treatment Act of 1973 and other Related Statutes from the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation To the Department of Health, June 19, 1991.
- 50 An Order Transferring the Administration of Certain Provisions of the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991 from the State Planning Office to the Department of Environment and Conservation, November 5, 1991.
- 51 An Order Creating the 1996 Tennessee Bicentennial Commission, June 1, 1992.
- 52 An Order Amending Executive Order #49, June 30, 1992.
- 53 An Order Establishing the Governor's Minority Business Development Advisory Committee, November 19, 1992.
- 54 An Order Transferring the Administration of Certain Provisions of the Solid Waste Management Act of 1991 from the State Planning Office to the Department Of Environment and Conservation, January 4, 1994.
- 55 An Order Establishing the Tennessee State Commission on National and Community Service, February 7, 1994.
- 56 An Order Directing the Agencies of State Government to take Appropriate Action to Comply with the Requirements of Title IV of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, March 1, 1994.
- 57 An Order Establishing a Quality Management Process in Tennessee State Government, March 8, 1994.
- 58 An Order Establishing the Tennessee Children's Plan. June 29, 1994.
- (Proclamation) Proclaiming the week of April 9, 1989 through April 15, 1989 as "National Library Week in Tennessee". April 5, 1989.

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Box 8

- 1 An Order Transferring the TennCare Program and its Related Functions from the Department of Health to the Department of Finance and Administration and Assigning Certain Oversight Responsibility to the Department of Commerce and Insurance, January 26, 1995.
- 2 An Order Concerning Equal Employment Opportunity, February 27, 1995.
- 3 Missing
- 4 An Order Transferring the Functions of the Office of Children's Services Administration from the Department of Finance and Administration to the Department of Health, July 28, 1995.
- 5 An Order Transferring the Functions of Case Management Related to and Concerning Children in the Legal Custody of the Department of Mental Health Retardation under T.C.A. Section 33-3-203 from the Department of Health, November 9, 1995.
- 6 An Order Transferring the Division of Juvenile Probation and its Functions from the Department of Youth Development to the Department of Health and Transferring Certain Functions of the Department of Human Services Relative to the Provision of Child Welfare Services from the Department of Human Services to the Department of Health, January 12, 1996.
- 7 An Order Establishing the Policy of the State of Tennessee with Respect to State Employees that are Members of the Reserve or National Guard and have Been Called to Full Time Military Duty by the President of the United States in Recognition of Operation Joint Behavior, January 18, 1996.
- 8 An Order Transferring the Undercover Drug Investigation Program and its Function from the Department of Safety to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation, January 30, 1996.
- 9 An Order Transferring the Management and Operation of Arlington Developmental Center and the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation's West Tennessee Office of Community Services from the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation to the Department of Finance and Administration, February 7, 1996.
- (Proclamation) Proclaiming Thursday, December 14, 1995 as "Tennessee First Ladies Day". December 12, 1995.