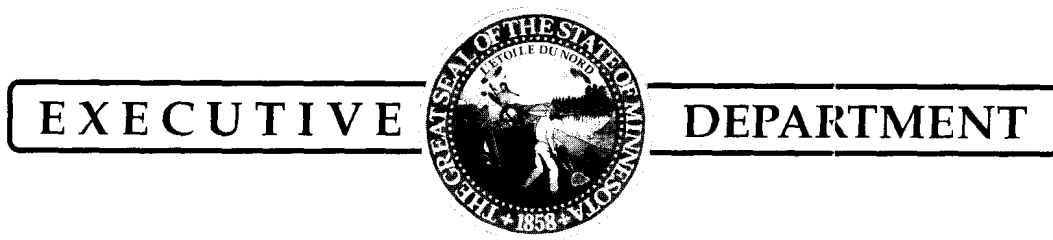


# STATE of MINNESOTA



**TIM PAWLENTY**  
**GOVERNOR**

**EMERGENCY EXECUTIVE ORDER 03-02**  
**PROVIDING FOR ASSISTANCE TO**  
**THE STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**I, TIM PAWLENTY, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA**, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the applicable statutes, do hereby issue this Executive Order:

**WHEREAS**, the United States Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security has recommended that each state use the National Guard to ensure protection of certain parts of the State's critical infrastructure; and


**WHEREAS**, the Governor and Minnesota Office of Homeland Security are responding to the information and recommendations received from the United States Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security for protection of the State's critical infrastructure.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I hereby order that:

1. The Adjutant General of Minnesota order to state active duty on or about March 18, 2003, in the service of the State, such personnel and equipment of the military forces of the State as necessary to provide 24-hour deterrence and security at critical infrastructures in Minnesota.
2. The Adjutant General is authorized to purchase, lease or contract goods or services necessary to accomplish the mission.
3. The cost of subsistence, transportation, fuel, pay and allowances of said individuals shall be defrayed from the general fund of the State, as provided for in Minnesota Statutes 2002, Sections 192.49, subd. 1, 192.52 and 192.54.


Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 2002, Section 4.035, Subd. 2, this Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until such date as elements of the military forces of the State are no longer required.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand this 18th day of March, 2003.



TIM PAWLENTY  
Governor

Filed According to Law:



MARY KIFFMEYER  
Secretary of State

3-18-03  
Date

