

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT DOVER

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER Fifty-five

## TO: HEADS OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

## RE: REPEAL OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER THIRTY-THREE, DISBANDING THE STATEWIDE HEALTH COORDINATING COUNCIL

WHEREAS, the Governor's Commission on Health Care Cost Management has recommended a dynamic health planning process for the State of Delaware to build on the strengths of the previous system, with greater focus on this State; and

WHEREAS, the 134th General Assembly of the State of Delaware ammended Chapter 93, Part VIII, Title 16 of the Delaware Code by deleting the reference to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council; and

WHEREAS, by the same amendment, the 134th General Assembly created the Health Resources Management Council to consider all matters relating to health planning for the State of Delaware to help ensure access and availability of appropriate high quality health care and services and promote cost effective use of health care resources; and

WHEREAS, the newly created Health Resources Management Council will fulfill the requirements of Public Law 93-641, which mandated the creation of a state wide health coordinating council;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MICHAEL N. CASTLE, by the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Delaware, do hereby declare and order as follows:

1. EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER THIRTY-THREE, which created the Statewide Health Coordinating Council, is hereby rescinded, and all powers, duties and functions originally granted to the Statewide Health Coordinating Council are hereby bestowed upon the Health Resources Management Council, pursuant to 16 Delaware Code §9303, as enacted by the 134th General Assembly.



APPROVED this day of April, 1988

Governor

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

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