EXECUTIVE ORDER
NUMBER ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN

TO: HEADS OF ALL STATE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES

RE: RESCISSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER NINETY-SEVEN

WHEREAS, on February 19, 1976, Governor Sherman W. Tribbitt issued Executive Order No. Ninety-Seven, establishing the Interim Delaware Economic Development Council; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Economic Development Council was responsible for coordinating an overall State economic development planning process; and

WHEREAS, on October 9, 1981, the Delaware General Assembly enacted legislation reorganizing the Executive Branch, in part by merging the Office of Management, Budget and Planning into the Delaware Development Office and transferring certain of its duties and responsibilities to other departments within the Executive Branch; and

WHEREAS, the Delaware Development Office is now the appropriate locus for Delaware's economic development planning process, responsible for devising and coordinating the State's overall economic development program.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PIERRE S. du PONT, IV, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Delaware, do hereby order and declare that Executive Order Number Ninety-Seven of Governor Sherman W. Tribbitt, dated February 19, 1976, is rescinded in its entirety and the Interim Delaware Economic Development Council is abolished.
APPROVED this 27th day of May, 1982.

[Signature]
Governor

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State