

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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RECYCLING OF WASTE PAPER PRODUCTS

WHEREAS, the departments, agencies, commissions, and divisions of State government serving the public good constitute a major user and disseminator of paper materials, and

WHEREAS, the conservation of resources would be promoted by an effective program of recycling waste paper,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kenneth M. Curtis, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby order that:

Recycling of waste paper products be instituted in all State government offices in the Capitol Complex with the following provisions:

1. The Capitol Complex includes the State House, the State Office building, the Education building, the Health and Welfare building, the Cultural building, and the Motor Vehicle building.

2. All monies received from the recycling program will be deposited in the General Fund.

3. Pickups of recyclable materials are to be made by G.R.O.W. (Growth through Rehabilitation and Occupational Workshop), a division of the Augusta Mental Health Institute. Monies received and services provided by G.R.O.W. are aimed at rehabilitating patients in institutions, nursing homes, and boarding homes.

4. Each department or agency is to assign a person to be responsible for organizing and directing the recycling program for that department or agency.

5. Each department or agency is responsible for providing its own recycling containers.

6. The recycling program will begin officially on December 2, 1974. However, the name of the person appointed to head recycling in each department is to be sent by November 1, 1974 to Stuart Sabean, Director of the Public Printing Division of the Bureau of Purchases or Jill Bubier, Executive office.

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