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JOHN R. MCKERNAN, JR.
GOVERNOR

MEMORANDUM

TO: Recipients of Executive Orders
FROM: John R. McKernan, Jr., Governor
DATE: June 9, 1988

Enclosed please find a revised copy of page two of Executive Order 13
FY 87/88. Please note change under the heading Terms of Membership.

Thank you.

Purpose

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John R. McKernan, Jr., Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby create and establish the Governor's Task Force on Supported Employment.

The Task Force on Supported Employment shall with specific reference to citizens with severe emotional and developmental disabilities:

- Stimulate, facilitate, and coordinate state agency planning leading to increased employment options as an integral part of the Governor's Human Resource Development goals, plan, and implementation.
- Designate exemplary programs, technologies, and expertise in Maine and the nation which can be successfully adapted or replicated to Maine's environment and work force needs.
- Act as a catalyst to secure and focus those federal, state, private, and community resources best promoting and supporting increased vocational and employment opportunities.
- Specify barriers in current programs, regulations, statute, and financing impeding realization of full employment potential.
- Identify opportunities for action offering short- and long-term employment options that reduce inappropriate dependency on publicly funded programs and involve close collaboration of community service agencies, state government, and the business community.
- Present, to the Governor, a report by July 1, 1989.

Membership

The Governor's Task Force on Supported Employment shall consist of not more than 21 members. There shall be equal representation from state government and the business community. Representation shall also be drawn from an institution of advanced education and training, consumers of services, and providers of services.

Terms of Membership

Members shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor for a term of two years.

Officers

The Governor shall appoint a chair to serve for the term described above.