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OFFICE OF
THE GOVERNOR

NO. 34 FY 04/05
DATE February 28, 2005

**AN ORDER AMENDING THE ORDER CONCERNING ACCESS TO STATE
SERVICES BY ALL ENTITLED MAINE RESIDENTS**

WHEREAS, Executive Order 13 FY 04/05 (dated April 9, 2004), entitled "An Order Concerning Access to State Services by All Entitled Maine Residents" was issued to underscore that all Maine residents who are eligible for state government services may seek the assistance of State agencies, regardless of personal or private attributes and without negative consequences to their personal lives; and

WHEREAS, it is apparent that clarification is necessary in order to ensure the intent of the Order is properly executed; and

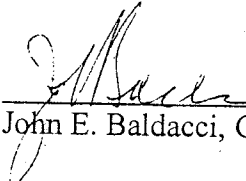
WHEREAS, agencies have developed guidelines that ensure respect, as well as fair and equal treatment for all people, regardless of race, color, gender, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, age or socioeconomic status of a person in need of services,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, John E. Baldacci, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby modify Executive Order 13 FY 04/05 in the following manner:

By deleting subsection "b" of section 4, which is entitled "State Agencies with Law Enforcement, Investigative or Prosecutorial Authority" and *by re-lettering* subsection "c" to "b."

In all other respects, the terms of Executive Order 13 FY 04/05 remain the same.

This effective date of this Executive Order is February 28, 2005.



John E. Baldacci, Governor