EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 32

WHEREAS, older Wisconsinites have made, and are continuing to make important contributions to the quality of our society; and

WHEREAS, the growing number of older Wisconsinites represent a unique social strength deserving wide public attention; and

WHEREAS, a state forum would be of value to bring focus to this societal asset and help counter mistaken perceptions of the old as being dependent and inactive; and

WHEREAS, such a forum would provide a means of involving additional needed non-governmental resources into the older adult community; and

WHEREAS, this administration is fully committed to recognizing opportunities for all citizens;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LEE SHERMAN DREYFUS, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 14.019, Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby order and direct that:

- 1. A Governor's Conference on Aging be conducted in 1980.
- 2. A Conference Planning Advisory Committee be established which shall set the conference date, location, and program in accordance with this order.
- 3. The Bureau of Aging of the Department of Health and Social Services cooperate with the Board on Aging in providing the Conference Planning Advisory Committee with such assistance as necessary to achieve the purposes of this order.
- 4. The Conference Planning Advisory Committee seek to encourage public participation in the conference to the maximum extent feasible.
- 5. The Conference Planning Advisory Committee incorporate the theme of enhancing non-governmental involvement in aging services into the conference program.

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In order to facilitate the work and responsibilities of the Conference Planning Advisory Committee, I do hereby instruct the Department of Administration to provide the Committee with such sums of money that are necessary for legitimate travel and operating expenses, as provided by the Joint Finance Committee under Section 20.505(5)(a), Wisconsin Statutes.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this / for Madison this / for Madison this / for the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighty.

LEE SHERMAN DREYFUS

By the Governor:

VEL R. PHILLIPS Secretary of State