WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin desires to receive federal grant assistance under Section 1202 of Title X of the United States Code and in order to do so, must first establish a state commission or designate an existing state agency or state commission as the Wisconsin postsecondary education commission; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of such a commission is to support comprehensive inventories of, and studies with respect to, all public and private postsecondary educational resources in the state, including the planning necessary for such resources to be better coordinated, improved, expanded or altered, so that all persons who desire, and who can benefit from, postsecondary education may have the opportunity to do so; and

WHEREAS, the state agency so designated must meet the broad representation requirements of Section 1202 of Title X, U.S. Code, equitably representing the general public and public and private nonprofit and proprietary institutions of postsecondary education in the State of Wisconsin;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LEE SHERMAN DREYFUS, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by virture of the authority vested in me by Section 14.019 and 16.54, Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby create and establish the Education Advisory Council, and, further, do hereby designate the Education Advisory Council as the State Postsecondary Education Commission (1202 Commission) to execute the responsibilities identified in Title X of the United States Code.

THE EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL

The Education Advisory Council shall execute the responsibilities required of such commissions by Title X, United States Code. These responsibilities include comprehensive inventories of, and studies with respect to, all public and private postsecondary educational resources in the state, including the planning necessary for such resources to be better coordinated, improved, expanded or altered, so that all persons who desire, and who can benefit from, postsecondary education may have the opportunity to do so.

Further, the Council shall consult with, advise and report to the Governor on all matters relating to educational policy in the State of Wisconsin and on the proceedings of the Council, acting in its capacity as the State 1202 Commission.

The federally-funded, state administered program authorities contained in the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, shall be unaffected by the creation of the 1202 Commission. The University of Wisconsin System shall continue to administer Community Services and Continuing Education Program, and the Higher Educational Aids Board shall continue to administer Equipment for Undergraduate Instruction Program and the Grants for Construction of Undergraduate Academic Facilities Program.



Kenneth E. Lindner, Secretary of the Department of Administration, shall serve as Chairman of the Education Advisory Council. The following chief executive officers or designated representatives of Wisconsin postsecondary institutions and associations, in addition to the Executive Office designee, are hereby appointed to the Council:

Robert O'Neil, President, University of Wisconsin System; Robert Sorensen, Director, Board of Vocational, Technical and Adult Education; Barbara Thompson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; James Jung, Executive Secretary, Higher Educational Aids Board; James Bolt, President, Wisconsin Association of Non-Public Schools; Anton J. Moe, Executive Director, Educational Communications Board; Cyrena Pondrom, Director, Governor's Employment and Training Office; Henry Herzing, President, Wisconsin Council for Independent Education; and Donald Bell, Executive Director, Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities.

The Chairman of the Council may further appoint Public Advisory Committees which are broadly and equitably representative of the general public to provide counsel and advice on issues undertaken by the Educational Advisory Council.

This Executive Order shall expire on July 1, 1981, unless otherwise modified by the Governor.

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 // day of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred eighty

LEE SHERMAN DREYFUS

By the Governor:

VEL R. PHILLIPS
Secretary of State