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MARCH FONG EU, Secretary of State

By *Phen Dudaek*
Deputy

EXECUTIVE ORDER B-14-76

WHEREAS, there are presently 197,000 Native Americans residing in the State of California; and

WHEREAS, there is a recognized need for consistent and equitable treatment of Native Americans; and

WHEREAS, there is a special federal-state relationship which should be established for the protection of the rights of the Native American population under both federal and state law;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

The Secretary of Health and Welfare be directed to establish within his Agency the Position of Native American Program Coordinator, whose duties shall be as follows:

- (1) To define the relationship between the Native American population and the state and federal governments.
- (2) To assure that Native Americans are receiving equitable treatment from agencies of the state government.
- (3) To assure that Native American residents of the State of California are receiving all monies which they should be receiving from the federal government, including but not limited to, the National Indian Health Services and the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

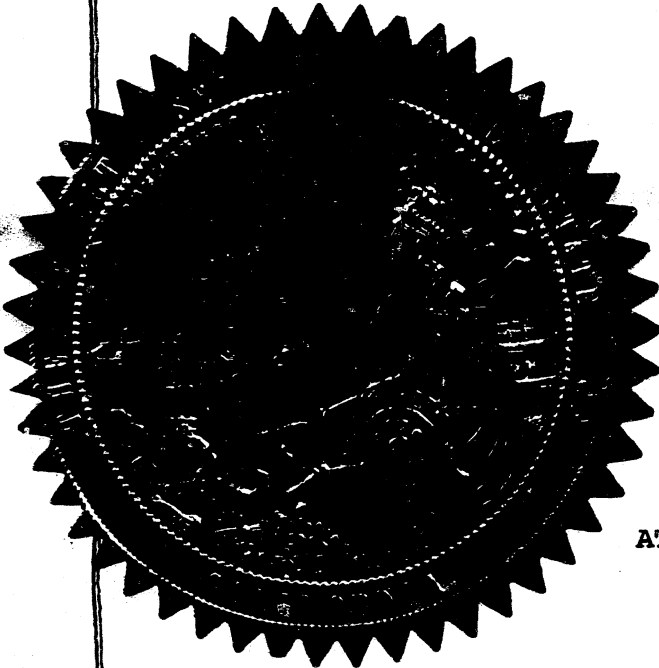
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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT:

All state departments and agencies are instructed to comply with such actions as are necessary to carry out this Executive Order.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 20th day of May, Ninteen Hundred and Seventy-six.



Edwin P. Redburn
Governor of California

ATTEST

March Fong Eu
Secretary of State

by *Margaret R. Schubert*
Deputy Secretary of State