

Executive Department
State of California

EXECUTIVE ORDER

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Section 6026 of the Penal Code, I hereby create a special commission of five members, to be known as "THE SPECIAL COMMISSION ON NARCOTICS", to assist the Board of Corrections, as provided for and pursuant to Section 6027 of the Penal Code.

Said Commission is authorized and instructed to investigate, evaluate and make recommendations concerning the adequacy of the present laws relating to the illegal traffic in narcotics, including, but not limited to, consideration of the adequacies of the present penalties to protect the people of this State, the application of the indeterminate-sentence law to narcotic violations, and the probation and parole of persons who violate narcotics laws of this State.

Said Commission is authorized to seek and receive cooperation and assistance, in making its investigations, recommendations and reports, from the Attorney General, and from all other agencies of the Executive Department of this State, and is requested to cooperate with interim committees of the Legislature conducting similar investigations.

Said Commission is authorized to make progress and interim reports on such subject within the general scope of its assignment and at such times as they are deemed appropriate by said Commission.

Said Commission shall render its final report and recommendations to the Board of Corrections, to the Governor, and

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To the Legislature not later than June 30, 1961, in the manner specified by Section 6028.3 of the Penal Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 22nd day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixty.



Governor of California

Attest:


Secretary of State