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STATE OF TENNESSEE  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER**  
BY THE GOVERNOR

No. 12

**AN ORDER ESTABLISHING GUIDELINES FOR THE INTERSTATE COMPACT**

**WHEREAS**, the Interstate Compact regulates the transfer and supervision of parolees and probationers across state lines;

**WHEREAS**, the Interstate Compact provides community protection by monitoring the interstate travel of parolees and probationers;

**WHEREAS**, the Interstate Compact promotes rehabilitation by ensuring supervision of parolees and probationers;

**WHEREAS**, Tennessee has been a member of the Interstate Compact since 1939 pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated Section 40-28-401 et seq.;

**WHEREAS**, the Governor has both the responsibility and the authority under Tennessee law to administer the Interstate Compact;

**WHEREAS**, it has been determined that certain terms should be defined to strengthen the requirements for transfer under the Interstate Compact;

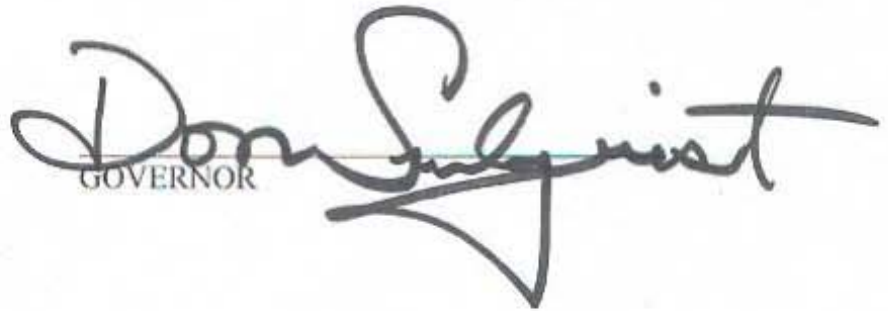
**WHEREAS**, it has been determined that certain procedures should be adopted to provide for the prompt arrest of parolees in violation of the terms and conditions of their supervision under the Interstate Compact;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Don Sundquist, Governor of the State of Tennessee, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Tennessee Constitution and by the laws of the State of Tennessee do hereby direct the following:

1. That any "family" member who provides the basis for satisfying the residency requirement for a transfer pursuant to the Interstate Compact shall be a parent, grandparent, sibling, adult child or lawful spouse.
2. That any family member who provides the basis for satisfying the residency requirement for a transfer pursuant to the Interstate Compact shall have resided permanently in Tennessee for three (3) continuous years prior to the parolee or probationer submitting a request for supervision in Tennessee unless otherwise waived by the Compact Administrator.
3. That the Director of Paroles shall be authorized to issue a warrant to retake a parolee paroled by another state who is residing in Tennessee pursuant to the Interstate Compact if there is reasonable cause to believe that such parolee has violated the terms and conditions of supervision as imposed by Tennessee under the authority of the Interstate Compact.

4. That this Order supersedes all previous executive orders to the extent that those orders are inconsistent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have subscribed my signature and caused the Great Seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed this the 13th day of February, 1997.

  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

