

STATE OF LOUISIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
BATON ROUGE

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. EWE 92-30

- WHEREAS,** the natural beauty of the State of Louisiana is self-evident; and
- WHEREAS,** the State of Louisiana has an environment which is rich in natural resources; and
- WHEREAS,** throughout the history of our State, the people of Louisiana have benefited from our State's natural resources in both recreation and employment; and
- WHEREAS,** the public health of the people of Louisiana, as well as natural resources of Louisiana, are dependent upon our State's delicate environment; and
- WHEREAS,** the Executive Department, through the Department of Environmental Quality, works to preserve and protect our delicate environment; and
- WHEREAS,** the establishment of an Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality within the Executive Department, Office of the Governor, will provide a forum for environmentalists, conservationists, businessmen, and industrialists to consider and carefully analyze all issues relative to environmental quality;

NOW THEREFORE I, EDWIN W. EDWARDS, Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby create and establish an Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality within the Executive Department, Office of the Governor, and do hereby order and direct as follows:

- SECTION 1:** The Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality is hereby created and established within the Executive Department, Office of the Governor.
- SECTION 2:** The duties and functions of the Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality include, but are not limited to, identifying all issues necessary to preserve and protect the environment of Louisiana, recommending viable solutions to the problems raised by those issues, evaluating the existing and proposed measures which are designed to preserve and protect Louisiana's environment, and any other duties and functions requested by the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality.
- SECTION 3:** The Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality shall be composed of the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality and twenty-two

(22) members, who shall be selected by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor. These members shall be recognized leaders in the fields of the environment, conservation, business, or industry, and shall be able to provide expertise concerning environmental quality.

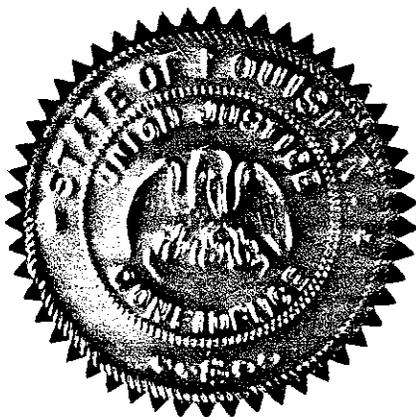
SECTION 4: The members of the Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality shall receive no compensation for their services.

SECTION 5: The Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality shall serve as the Chairman of the Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality. The Governor shall appoint the Vice-Chairman of the Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality.

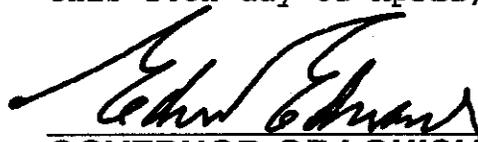
SECTION 6: The Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality shall meet on times and dates as requested by the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality. The Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality shall report their findings and recommendations to the Governor through the Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality.

SECTION 7: All departments, commissions, boards, agencies, and officers of the state or any political subdivision thereof are authorized and directed to cooperate with the Advisory Task Force on Environmental Quality in implementing the provisions of this Executive Order.

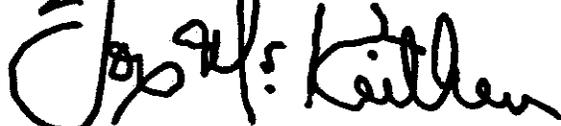
SECTION 8: This Executive Order shall be effective upon signature.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 14th day of April, 1992.


GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA

**ATTEST BY
THE GOVERNOR**



SECRETARY OF STATE