

**STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT**

**BATON ROUGE**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. EWE 94 - 24**

**WHEREAS,** the current DOTD microwave and State Police Communication systems are old and not able to provide all state agencies the communication requirements; and

**WHEREAS,** the Governor believes that the need for a state of the art statewide 800MHz trunked two way radio system and digital microwave system for the communication for the executive branch of government of the State of Louisiana; and

**WHEREAS,** the two-way radio system has an impact on all major departments in which it communicates with each other, and employees of their department;

**NOW THEREFORE I, EDWIN W. EDWARDS,** Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and the laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby establish the Statewide Communications System Executive Steering Committee to design, construct, administer and maintain a statewide, shared 800MHz trunked two-way radio system and supporting digital microwave system as follows:

**SECTION 1:** The Statewide Communications System Executive Steering Committee shall be composed of the following membership:

- A. Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Development.
- B. Secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.
- C. Deputy Secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections, Public Safety Services.
- D. Secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries.
- E. Secretary of the Department of Environmental Quality.
- F. A representative of the Division of Administration.

**SECTION 2:** The Deputy Secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections will serve as the Chairman.

**SECTION 3:** The duties and functions of the Statewide Communications System Executive Steering Committee shall include (but shall not be limited to):

- A. Establish a technical task force and appoint members.
- B. Review recommendations of the technical task force.
- C. Approve system design and implementation plans.

- D. Approve system testing and formally accept system.
- E. Establish polices for allocation and management of system resources and future for 800MHz and microwave.
- F. Establish policies for system admission and use on 800MHz and microwave.
- G. Establish policies for system operation, administration and maintenance.

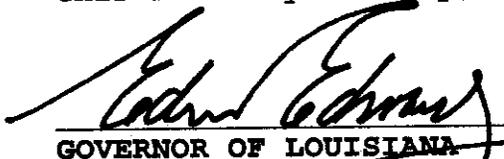
**SECTION 4:** The Committee shall meet at times and dates as needed.

**SECTION 5:** A majority of the Committee shall constitute quorum.

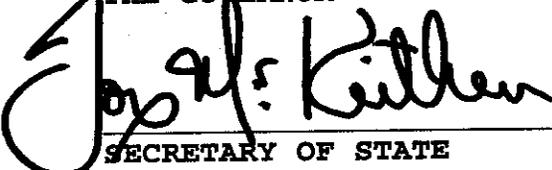
**SECTION 6:** The provisions of this Executive Order are effective upon signature and shall remain in effect until amended, modified or rescinded by operation of law.



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 21st day of July, 1994.

  
GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA

ATTEST BY  
THE GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE