

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 107

WHEREAS, The tragedy and suffering of thousands of foreign nationals from Cuba, Indochina, Haiti and other nations have forced them to flee their homelands; and

WHEREAS, Thousands of these refugees from Cuba, Indochina, Haiti and other nations have arrived in the United States; and

WHEREAS, It is estimated that thousands of these refugees have either settled or will settle in this State; and

WHEREAS, As Governor of this State and as a member of the United States Delegation to the United Nations Conference of Indo-chinese Relations in Geneva, I am deeply concerned about the plight of all displaced, persecuted peoples and strongly support assisting them during this difficult period of resettlement; and

WHEREAS, I have previously established separate Committee on Cuban Refugee Affairs and Indochinese Resettlement Committee; and

WHEREAS, It is essential that we coordinate the activities of public and private agencies providing services to refugees settling in New Jersey;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of this State, do hereby ORDER and DIRECT:

1. That the Committee on Cuban Refugee Affairs and the Indochinese Resettlement Committee be consolidated to form the Advisory Council on Refugee Affairs.

2. That the Advisory Council on Refugee Affairs represent the interests of all refugees.

3. That this Advisory Council on Refugee Affairs shall consist of the following members or their designees:

Nicholas V. Montalto, Director, International Institute of Jersey
City

Rev. Nicholas DiMarzio, Newark Archdiocese

Fr. Robert Vitello, Paterson Diocese

Doris Jankowicz, Director, Lutheran Social Services, Trenton
Dr. Seymore Siegel, Director, Jewish Family Services, Cherry Hill

Luu Phuong Nguyen, Brookdale Community College Learning Center

Enrique Arroyo, Director, Puerto Rican Congress of New Jersey, Trenton

Jerome Marc Audige, Director, Haitian-American Cultural Foundation, Newark

Israel Romero, Director, Cuban-Haitian Aid Center, Union City

Hon. Melvin Primas, Mayor, City of Camden

Hon. William Musto, Mayor, City of Union City

Hon. Patrick R. Fiorilli, Mayor, City of Vineland

Mike Fein, Metropolitan Jewish Federation

Barbara Sigmund, New Jersey Association of Counties

Jim Carroll, Heavy and General Laborers Locals 472 and 172, Newark

Counsel to the Governor (or designee), Chairperson

Ex officio:

Commissioner of the Department of Human Services (or designee)

Commissioner of the Department of Health (or designee)

Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Industry (or designee)

Commissioner of the Department of Community Affairs (or designee)

Commissioner of the Department of Education (or designee)

Chancellor of the Department of Higher Education (or designee)

Staff:

Jane Berger, Refugee Assistance Coordinator, Division of Youth and Family Services

4. The Council shall consolidate the orderly resettlement of newly arrived refugees.

5. The Council shall coordinate the activities of public and private agencies providing services to refugees settling in New Jersey.

6. The Council is authorized to call upon any department, office, division or agency of the State to supply such data, program reports and other information, personnel or assistance as it deems necessary to discharge its responsibilities pursuant to this Order.

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7. Each department, office, division and agency of the State is authorized and directed, to the extent possible and not inconsistent with law, to cooperate with the Committee and to furnish it with such information, personnel and assistance as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of this Order.

8. The Council shall meet and consult with Federal, County and local government officials and other interested public and private organizations and persons to discuss the coordination of all resettlement efforts.

9. Executive Order No. 91 is hereby repealed.

10. This Order shall take effect immediately.

Given under my hand and seal this 18th day of August,
 [SEAL] in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-one, and of the Independence of the United States, the two hundred and sixth.

/s/ BRENDAN BYRNE,
Governor.

Attest:

/s/ HAROLD L. HODES,
Chief of Staff, Secretary.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
 EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 108

WHEREAS, The conditions in our State Prisons and other penal and correctional institutions of the New Jersey Department of Corrections specified in Executive Order No. 106, signed June 19, 1981 continue to endanger the safety, welfare and resources of the residents of this State; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 106 expires on September 16, 1981;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Brendan Byrne, Governor of the State of New Jersey, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and statutes of this State, do hereby declare a continuing state of emergency and ORDER and DIRECT as follows: