WHEREAS, the Executive Department has become aware that the alarming increase in the cultivation, manufacture and trafficking of illegal drugs in violation of 63 Okla. Stat. §§2-101 through 2-608 (1986 Supp.) necessitates emergency measures for the protection of the public peace, health and safety; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to provide for the rendering of mutual aid by the Oklahoma National Guard to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control with respect to emergency functions to stop the cultivation, manufacture and trafficking of illegal drugs during the state of emergency hereinafter declared, pursuant to 44 Okla. Stat. §23, et seq. (1981),

NOW, THEREFORE, by the authority conferred upon the Office of Governor by the Constitution and laws of the State of Oklahoma, I do hereby order:


2. The Oklahoma National Guard is authorized and directed to render any necessary aid to the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control to stop the cultivation, manufacture and trafficking in illegal drugs for the immediate protection of the public peace, health and safety.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma this 11th day of August, 1987.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Henry Bellmon

ATTEST:

Secretary of State