To the Honorable Members of the House of Representatives and the Honorable Members of the State Senate of Oklahoma:

I, Frank Keating, Governor of the State of Oklahoma, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the provisions of Section 7 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution, hereby convene the First Extraordinary Session of the Forty-seventh Oklahoma Legislature to convene at the State Capitol at 1:30 p.m., January 20, 1999. I recommend for consideration the following subjects:

1. Amend current law regarding the levying of 7% tax of the gross value of the production of oil as currently provided for in Section 1001 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes by establishing a graduated tiered system for collection of the tax with the percentages based on the price of oil per barrel.

2. Amend current law setting the date for claims for refund of gross production tax on “economically at-risk oil leases” from July 1 as currently provided for in Section 1001.3 of Title 68 of the Oklahoma Statutes to an earlier date.

Copies of this Executive Order shall be distributed to every member of the Oklahoma House of Representatives, every member of the Oklahoma State Senate, the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Secretary of the Senate, and the Director of the Office of State Finance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma this 17th day of January, 1999.

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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Secretary of State ASSISTANT