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EXECUTIVE ORDER
No. 1968-1

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State of Emergency
County of Wayne

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Whereas, a state of emergency has been proclaimed in the County of Wayne and

Whereas, it is necessary in order to protect life and property within the County of Wayne,

Therefore, I, George Romney, Governor of the State of Michigan, in furtherance of the Proclamation of said state of emergency, do hereby issue the following orders and rules and regulations:

1. No persons except duly authorized law enforcement officers of this state, or of any County, or of the Cities within the County of Wayne, or members of the National Guard, shall possess or carry any firearms, ammunition, explosives, inflammable materials or liquids, or other dangerous weapons within the boundaries of the County of Wayne.
2. No persons shall be allowed on the public streets or thoroughfares in the County of Wayne, between the hours of 8:00 P.M., and 5:00 o'clock A.M., provided, however, that this regulation shall not apply to persons going to and from their normal occupations, persons answering emergency calls, and to those whom permission has been specifically granted by the Director of the State Police or his duly authorized agent.
3. Such force and control as may be necessary to prohibit unnecessary and prohibited traffic within the County of Wayne, is hereby granted to the authorities named herein.
4. All places of amusement and all places dispensing or selling alcoholic beverages or liquor within the County of Wayne are hereby ordered closed until further notice.
5. All meetings or assemblies of more than five persons is prohibited unless permission has been granted by the Director of the State Police or his duly authorized agent.

I do hereby direct and designate the Director of the State Police and such persons as may be authorized by him to carry out the foregoing orders, rules and regulations. Such orders, rules and regulations shall be effective at 5:00 o'clock P.M., E.S.T., Friday, April 5, 1968, and shall continue in force and effect until amended, modified or rescinded or until said such state of emergency shall cease to exist.

Violation of any of the foregoing rules and regulations shall be punishable and shall result in prosecution as provided by the provisions of Act 302 of the Public Acts of 1945.

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Copies of this Order and of the Proclamation shall be posted in ten public places in the County of Wayne and shall be announced by a full reading of the text of this executive order on a radio or television station in said County.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Michigan this Fifth Day of April in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Eight.

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Secretary of State