

APPENDIX G: Authority and References

ADSD's EOP conforms to the follow Nevada state requirements:

- Emergency Management Administrative Order No. 1, which requires each Department and Division to prepare appropriate plans and instructions to protect its personnel, equipment, vital records and supplies and its carrying on of normal services in the event of natural or man-made disasters.
- Emergency Management Administrative Order No. 5, which assigns emergency preparedness functions to the Department of Health and Human Services.
- The Governor's letter of September 3, 1991, directs all Departments to review their emergency plans, procedures and emergency training programs and to update their plans and procedures.
- NRS 223.080, which delineates the succession of state government in the absence of the Governor, in the order that follows:
 - Lieutenant Governor
 - President Pro Tempore of the Senate
 - Speaker of the Assembly
 - Secretary of State

Additionally, the ADSD EOP is developed in accordance with the following federal guidance:

- The Homeland Security Act of 2002, PL 107-296, enacted 11/25/02.
- The National Security Act of 1947, 50 U.S.C. 401 (as amended).
- Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. 5121, et seq.).
- Executive Order 12656, *Assignment of Emergency Preparedness Responsibilities*, dated November 18, 1988, as amended.
- Executive Order 12472, *Assignment of National Security and Emergency Preparedness Telecommunications Functions*, dated April 3, 1984.
- Executive Order 12148, *Federal Emergency Management*, dated July 20, 1979, as amended.
- PDD 62, *Combating Terrorism – Homeland Defense*, dated May 22, 1998.
- PDD 67, *Enduring Constitutional Government and Continuity of Government Operations*, dated October 21, 1998.
- White House Memorandum, *Continuity Policy/Department and Agency Essential Functions*, dated January 10, 2005, by Francis Fragos Townsend.
- White House Memorandum, *Background paper on Essential Functions Concept and Implementation and Recommended Guidelines for Submitting Department/Agencies Priority Mission Essential Functions Information*, dated January 10, 2005, by David W. Howe.