

VICTOR ATIYEH
GOVERNOR



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To Whom It May Concern:

Under the Oregon Constitution, the Governor of Oregon continues to exercise all his powers as governor notwithstanding temporary absence from the state. Occasions may arise during my current leadership of a trade mission overseas when it is necessary for my Executive Assistant, Gerry Thompson, to transmit written copies of my official requests or directives. This document evidences my authorization for her to attest the accuracy of these requests or instructions by her signature.

This document does not affect authorization previously given to a member of my legal staff under ORS 133.743 to act on my behalf in performing extradition functions; nor does it authorize my Executive Assistant to sign documents which, under the Oregon Constitution or statutes, are required to be signed by me personally and filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

This authorization is revocable at my pleasure and in any event expires upon my return to the State of Oregon.

Signed,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Victor Atiyeh", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Victor Atiyeh
Governor