

**[RESCINDED]**

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
DELEGATION ORDER NO. 0204-73  
TO THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF DOE

Pursuant to the authority vested in me as Secretary of Energy and by Section 642 of the Department of Energy Organization Act (Public Law 95-91), there is hereby delegated on a nonexclusive basis to the Chief Financial Officer of the Department of Energy ("DOE") all functions vested in me by law as the Secretary of Energy ("Secretary") relating to the reporting of violations of Section 3679 of the Revised Statutes, as amended (31 U.S.C. 655). The Chief Financial Officer may henceforth act in the name of the Secretary for the purpose of obtaining enforcement of such delegated functions.

The authority delegated to the Chief Financial Officer by this Order may be further delegated, in whole or in part, as may be appropriate.

In exercising the authority delegated by this Order or as redelegated pursuant thereto, the delegate(s) shall be governed by the rules and regulations of DOE and the policies and procedures prescribed by the Secretary or his delegate.

All actions pursuant to any authority delegated prior to this Order or pursuant to any authority delegated by this Order taken prior to and in effect on the date of this Order are hereby confirmed and ratified, and shall remain in full force and effect as if taken under this Order, unless or until rescinded, amended or superseded.

Nothing in this Order shall preclude the Secretary from exercising any of the authority so delegated whenever in his judgement his exercise of such authority is necessary or appropriate to administer the functions vested in him.

This Order is effective September 30, 1980.

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/s/  
Charles W. Duncan, Jr.  
Secretary of Energy