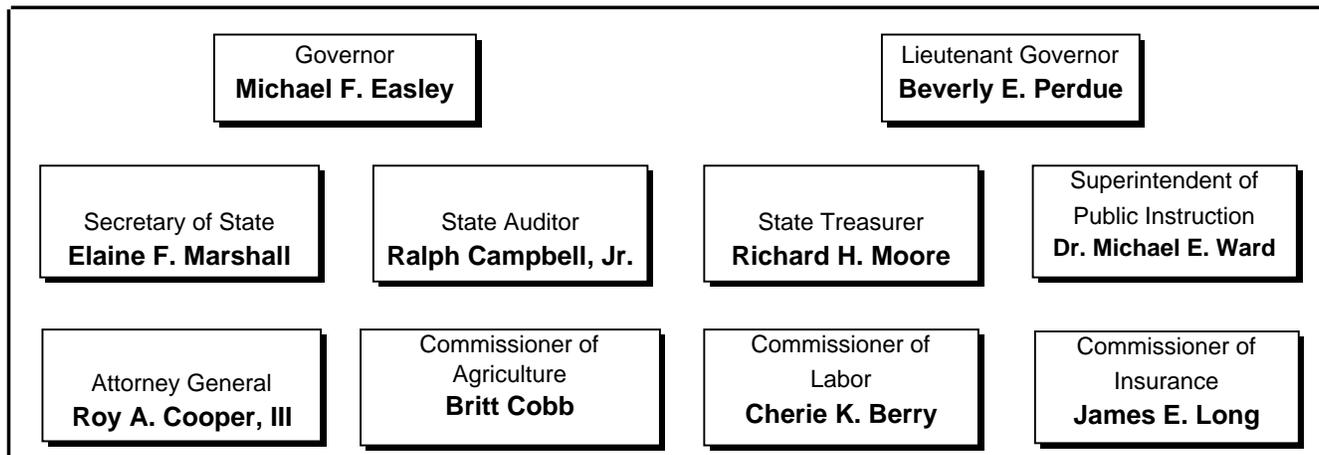


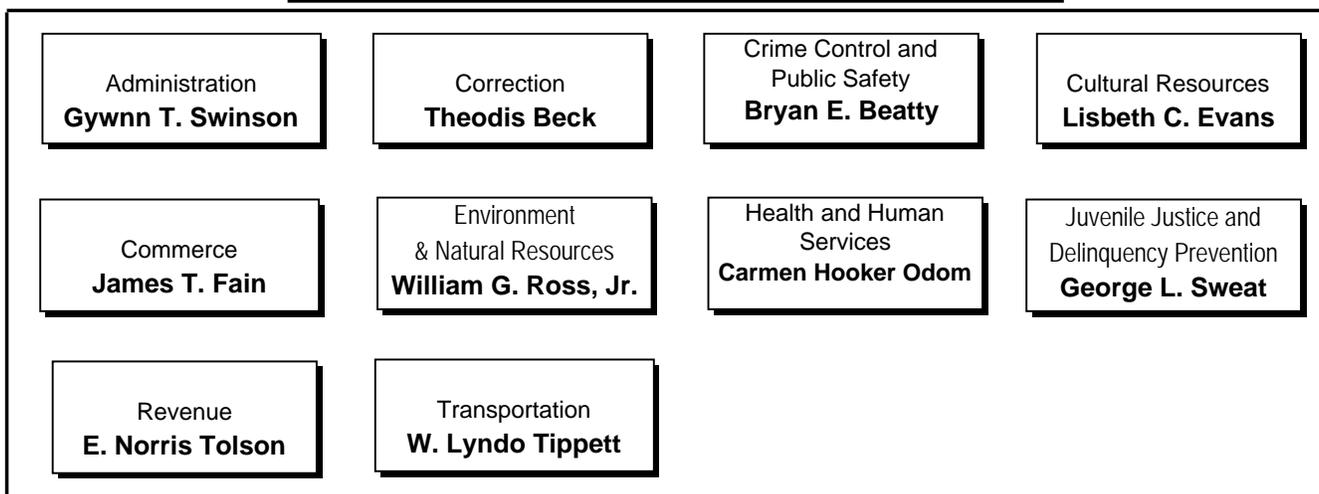
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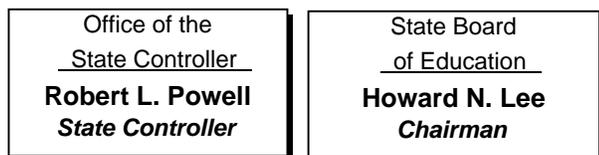
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Cabinet Secretaries — Appointed by the Governor



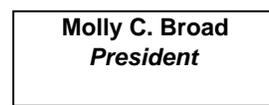
Appointed by Governor, confirmed by Legislature



**Appointed by State Board
of Community Colleges**



**Appointed by University
Board of Governors**



LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

JUDICIAL BRANCH

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Sarah Parker
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