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P R O C L A M A T I O N

- WHEREAS: Minnesota is blessed with a variety of resources and seasons in which to enjoy a multitude of recreation forms; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesotans capitalize on the state's beautiful winter months to enjoy the vast wilderness areas, the multitude of ski hills, the thousands of miles of snowmobile trails, the ice-fishing on 15,000 lakes; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesotans are always seeking new forms of winter recreation such as camping, snowshoeing, cross-country skiing, snowshoe baseball, hockey, sled dog racing and other activities; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesotans, more than the people of any other state, have proven that winter can be fun and that the state is the finest year-round recreation area in the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim that beginning on this day of December 17, 1971 Minnesota be declared

(THE) WINTER FUN CAPITOL OF THE UNITED STATES

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-ninth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, and of the State, the one hundred fourteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Allen J. Edahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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