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Allen J. Edsall
Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS: Irvin J. Richter has been a truck driver for 36 years and during this time he has driven 3,150,000 miles; and
- WHEREAS: For 31 of these years he has been employed as an over-the-road driver by the same company, Raymond Motor Transportation, Inc., Minneapolis; and
- WHEREAS: since 1946, he has held the office of road steward, proof of the high regard and respect he is held by his fellow drivers in Teamster Local 544; and
- WHEREAS: during his career as a professional truck driver, Irvin J. Richter has admirably filled the role of "good Samaritan of the road" by helping motorists in need on numerous occasions; and
- WHEREAS: on one memorable winter day, Irvin J. Richter stopped to assist two stalled cars during a blizzard, helped a doctor deliver a baby girl, then drove the participants in this real life drama to the hospital; and
- WHEREAS: Irvin J. Richter has always maintained a positive attitude toward his job, his company, the trucking industry and his community; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota Motor Transportation Association carefully considered Irvin J. Richter's driving record, his many commendations and contributions to the community and named him Minnesota Driver of the Year;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, October 31, 1972

IRVIN J. RICHTER DAY

in Minnesota.

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 thirty-first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and of the State, the one hundred fiftieth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Allen J. Edsall
SECRETARY OF STATE