



Proclamation

WHEREAS: 43,000 children and adults in the United States will be stricken with leukemia, lymphoma, and Hodgkins disease this year; and

WHEREAS: more than 300 Minnesotans will die this year of leukemia; and

WHEREAS: the Leukemia Society of America is dedicated to finding a cure or a means to control the disease by supporting research in Minnesota, the Nation and Abroad; and

WHEREAS: the Leukemia Society of America has established a \$100,000 research position at the University of Minnesota to study this deadly disease; and

WHEREAS: on February 16 and 17, 1974 the Leukemia Society of America is launching a nationwide fundraising drive via a 24-hour radio/thon beginning at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, February 16 and lasting until 7:00 p.m. Sunday, February 17, to continue their vital work;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, February 16 and Sunday, February 17 as

LEUKEMIA WEEKEND

in Minnesota, and I urge all Minnesotans to support this worthy and necessary cause.

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 eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four and of the State the one hundred and fifteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson

GOVERNOR

Arlen J. Erdahl

SECRETARY OF STATE

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