



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Walter F. Mondale has served Minnesota and the Nation in the United States Senate with distinction since December 30, 1964, as a Democrat dedicated to progressive social programs; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale has long been an advocate of open housing, school integration, legal services for the poor, and the plight of the Indian and migrant worker; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale has also worked tirelessly to expand our foreign trade, to help agriculture and industry in Minnesota, has been a staunch fighter for consumer protection, and for the reform of an inequitable tax system; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale led the battle against HEW's restrictive regulations governing social services and is working for permanent legislation to preserve the program's flexibility; and

WHEREAS: early this year, President Nixon signed into law Senator Mondale's "Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act," creating the first federal program to deal specifically with prevention, identification and treatment of child abuse; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale is the author of legislation that would offer counseling to families who lose babies in crib death and is continuing his leadership to make day care and other developmental services for children available; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale has begun landmark hearings concerning the trends and pressures affecting American families and has been a champion of our older citizens; and

WHEREAS: Senator Mondale's contribution to an improved quality of life for everyone can be measured by his deep concern for the poor and the powerless.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Monday, April 1, 1974 to be

SENATOR WALTER F. MONDALE DAY

in Minnesota, in recognition of the honor accorded the Senator by the 1974 Welfare Conference in presenting him with the Morris Hursh Award.

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-sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-four and of the State the one hundred and sixteenth.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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MAR 27 1974
Arland E. Edahl
Secretary of State

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GOVERNOR

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