



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: *the people of Canada have been our faithful friends and dedicated allies for many years; and*

WHEREAS: *a great community of interest has developed through the years between the citizens of Minnesota and our neighbors in Canada; and*

WHEREAS: *we find that our economic interests as well as the common interests of our people intertwine for the benefit of both; and*

WHEREAS: *Dominion Day celebrates the founding of the Dominion of Canada, whose history has many parallels to our own; and*

WHEREAS: *it is vital that our ties of friendship and economic cooperation be further developed and strengthened; and*

WHEREAS: *the people of Minnesota wish to express their best wishes to their Canadian neighbors on the celebration of their Nation's birthday;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Monday, July 1, 1974 as

## CANADIAN DOMINION DAY

*in Minnesota, and I urge all Minnesotans to reflect upon the friendship, respect and mutual cooperation offered to us by our neighbors to the north, and join in wishing them a joyous celebration of their Nation's 108th birthday.*

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

Wendell R. Anderson

GOVERNOR

Arden J. Erdahl

SECRETARY OF STATE

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