## STATE OF MINNESOTA

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMISSIONER'S SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREA ORDER NO. 2

WHEREAS THE LANDS DESCRIBED AS: Government Lot 1, the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 62 North, Range 13 West; and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 33, Township 62 North, Range 13 West, all of St. Louis County, Minnesota, contain inherent, unique natural values including an undisturbed scenic natural area within the range of the timber wolf and virgin stands of norway and white pine trees;

AND WHEREAS the most effective means by which such lands can be used and protected for educational and research purposes in such manner and by such means as will leave them conserved for future generations, is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area.

NOW, THEREFORE: I, ROBERT L. HERBST, Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, do hereby designate the above described lands as the Purvis Lake-Ober Foundation Scientific and Natural Area.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of NR 300 through and including NR 303 shall apply to the use of the above designated area. day of August, 1974. Dated this

> STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

> ROBERT L. HERBST, Commissioner Department of Natural Resources

Deputy Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND EXECUTION WARREN SPANNAUS

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