



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: minority enterprises represent a very small but growing segment of our State's economy; and

WHEREAS: it is important to the economic and social betterment of our State to increase the number of successful minority enterprises as well as the number of minority citizens which they employ; and

WHEREAS: we wish to encourage businesses and all citizens of this State to assist in the development of minority enterprises by the increased purchase of goods and services from minority entrepreneurs;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 23 - 29 to be

## Minority Business Enterprise Week

in Minnesota and recommend all citizens to seek out opportunities to contribute to the continued growth of minority enterprises in our community.

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 fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-five and of the State, the one hundred and seventeenth.

*Wendell R. Anderson*  
GOVERNOR

*Joan Anderson Thorne*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Wendell R. Anderson*  
Secretary of State