



# Proclamation

The efficient functioning of modern society is largely dependent upon effective communication, and the modern methods of communications have come more and more to rest in the hands of secretaries; and

The increasing amount of communications inherent in our complex society has made it necessary for today's secretary to acquire technical skills, and to assume the responsibility for countless details in the operation of a business; and

Today's secretary must have at command tact, diplomacy, increasing business and economic knowledge, and decision-making ability in the greater role the secretary is performing as a member of the management team; and

The important contribution made by secretaries in business, government, and the professions of our country has been recognized by designating the last week in April as Secretaries Week and Wednesday, April 23, 1975, as Secretaries Day;

NOW, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 20 through April 26, 1975, as

## SECRETARIES WEEK

and Wednesday, April 23, 1975, as

## SECRETARIES DAY

and I urge all citizens to recognize the efforts made by our secretaries in the industry, the professions, and government, which have made them truly silent American Business.

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 third day of April 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

*John Anderson Howe*

SECRETARY OF STATE

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*John Anderson Howe*  
Secretary of State

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