



Proclamation

WHEREAS: thousands of men and women have fulfilled their military obligations with honor and helped Americans to continue to enjoy all that they have had here for the last two hundred years; and

WHEREAS: the year 1976 marks the Bicentennial of this great nation; and

WHEREAS: more than 800,000 veterans are admitted each year for medical attention to Veterans Administration Hospitals across the country; and

WHEREAS: these hospitalized servicemen and women deserve formal recognition from all of our nation's citizens for the sacrifices they have made for America; and

WHEREAS: the organization NO GREATER LOVE, in cooperation with the Veterans Administration Hospitals, has organized a national tribute to hospitalized veterans to instill in the American public, not only on this day, but every day, an awareness and appreciation of our hospitalized veterans who have given so much; and

WHEREAS: we care about our hospitalized veterans and wish to express to them our concern and gratitude;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim Monday, February 9, 1976, a day to

SALUTE HOSPITALIZED VETERANS

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to participate in its observance.

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 January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-six and of the State the one hundred eighteenth.

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