

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Martin Jopp is an engineering genius, a teacher, a philosopher, a farmer and a businessman; and

WHEREAS: he is an international authority on wind generating equipment, and probably one of the few people to have manufactured a wind generator using machines driven by wind-powered electricity; and

WHEREAS: Martin Jopp was a recycler before the word was invented. For years he has melted down aluminum cans to be remolded into machine parts or electrical components; and

WHEREAS: Martin Jopp is proud of his energy independence, and disturbed by the nation's lack of it; and

WHEREAS: for more than half a century, Martin Jopp has been living a lifestyle that may well be the pattern for the future; and

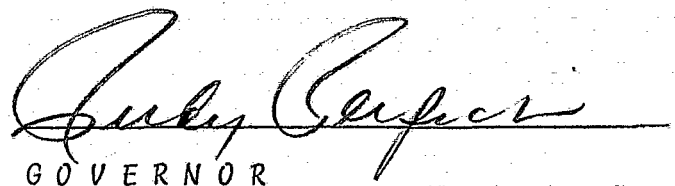
WHEREAS: on August 27, 1977, Martin Jopp is being recognized for his contributions to the development of energy alternatives;

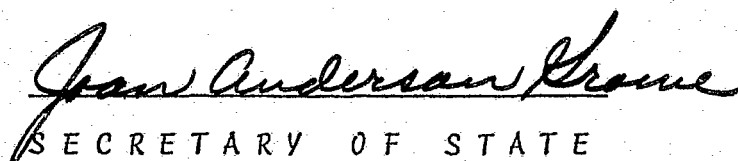
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, August 27, 1977 to be

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in Minnesota, and join his friends and admirers in paying tribute to his genius, his warmth, his foresight in realizing that energy is a precious gift to be cherished, and for living a rich life in harmony with nature.

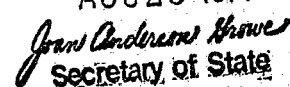
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-seven and of the State the one hundred twentieth.


GOVERNOR


SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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