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WHEREAS: there is a growing interest in the game of chess for entertainment and as a competitive sport; and

WHEREAS: on October 7, special chess events are being held in Minnesota and throughout the Nation; and

WHEREAS: the United States Chess Federation has proclaimed this day as Chess Day in the United States of America;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 7, 1978 to be

CHESS DAY

in Minnesota, and call upon all Minnesota chessplayers to join in the observance by participating in some sort of activity.

FURTHERMORE, I proclaim that henceforth the first Saturday in October shall continue to be known as Chess Day in Minnesota and similarly observed.

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-second day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight and of the State the one hundred twentieth.

GOVERNOR

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILED AUG 2 2 1978

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