

## Proclamation

HEREAS: since athletic competition between countries not only enhances a commitment to physical fitness but also develops character and broadens the mind through lasting friendships, the State of Minnesota encourages international competition in women's athletics; and

HEREAS: the United States Volleyball Association through its North Country Region and the Department of Women's Intercollegiate Athletics at the University of Minnesota are co-sponsoring an exhibition match; and

HEREAS: the exhibition match is between the 1976 Olympic Gold Medalists--the Japanese National Volleyball team--and the USA National Volleyball team;

10W, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of ictober 8, 1978 to be

VOLLEYBALL WEEK

in Minnesota, and urge all sporting enthusiasts to take this opportunity to watch the finest women's rolleyball in the world.

> STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILED SEP 22 1978 Secretary of State

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

GOVERNOR