



Proclamation

WHEREAS: the University of Minnesota Film Society has been programming innovative new works from around the world since its founding in 1962; and

WHEREAS: some of the most creative filmmaking is emerging from the nonaligned Eastern bloc nation of Yugoslavia, where a new generation of filmmakers is looking inwardly for cultural roots and historical identity; and

WHEREAS: our own state of Minnesota proudly boasts of its Yugoslavian stock as part of its own immigrant heritage; and

WHEREAS: the role of the film medium is to provide an unmatched tool for the understanding of cultures other than our own, as well as an open window into the variegated lives of our fellow men wherever they may be, consequently supplying the universal themes and enrichment characteristic of fine art;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the period of October 20 through October 29, 1978 to be

YUGOSLAVIAN FILM DAYS

in Minnesota.

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

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GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jean Anderson Brower".

SECRETARY OF STATE

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Secretary of State