

WHEREAS: Medical judgment and careful evaluation have shown that adequate training of ambulance attendants and first-response personnel directly reduce the number of persons dying of critical medical emergencies; and

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota is served by almost 9,000 nationally registered Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT), many of whom protect the public health as volunteer ambulance and first responders, and almost 200 EMT-Paramedics; and

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota has recognized the value of emergency medical technician training by authorizing the registration of Minnesota EMTs under the authority of the Minnesota Human Services Occupations Act; and

WHEREAS: The skill and attention to duty of Minnesota's dedicated and competent volunteer and paid Emergency Medical Technicians more than justify recognition and public gratitude;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, Albert H. Quie and Lou Wangberg, Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim the week of November 3 through 10, 1979 as

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in Minnesota, and commend all Emergency Medical Technicians, both paid and volunteer, basic and paramedic, who do so much each day for the residents and guests of our State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-nine, and of the State the one hundred twenty-second.

Albert H. Quie

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