

WHEREAS: Minnesota is recognized worldwide as a birthplace and training ground for world-class hockey players in every age group; and especially for talented players of college, Olympic and professional caliber; and

WHEREAS: The fact that sixteen out of the twenty-six U. S. Olympic Hockey Team members are native born Minnesotans is indeed a testimony to the quality and organization of the hockey system statewide; and

WHEREAS: The U. S. Olympic Committee has selected Minnesota's own University of Minnesota hockey coach, Herb Brooks, as the 1980 Olympic Hockey Team Coach; and

WHEREAS: Hockey contributes to the State of Minnesota in many positive ways, impacting in areas of industry, recreation, tourism, and at the same time promoting state pride as a source of recognition in the excellence of hockey in the State of Minnesota;

NOW, THEREFORE, WE, Albert H. Quie and Lou Wangberg, Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, November 27, 1979, to be

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in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to acknowledge this by their support and attendance at the Canadian Olympic Team versus U.S.A. Olympic Team Hockey Game that same evening.

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 sixth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-nine, and of the State the one hundred twenty-second.

*Albert H. Quie*

GOVERNOR

*Lou Wangberg*

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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