



Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD CELEBRATES THE 191ST ANNIVERSARY OF ITS FOUNDING ON AUGUST 4, 1981; AND

WHEREAS: THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD, AS OUR NATION'S OLDEST CONTINUOUS SEAGOING SERVICE HAS BEEN PRESENT UPON THE WATERS OF THE GREAT LAKES AND OTHER NAVIGABLE BODIES OF WATER IN THE STATE OF MINNESOTA SINCE 1818; AND

WHEREAS: THE MEN AND WOMEN OF THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD, THE COAST GUARD RESERVE AND THE COAST GUARD AUXILIARY CONTRIBUTE SUBSTANTIALLY TO THE SAFETY OF LIVES AND PROPERTY ON OUR WATERWAYS AND TO THE PROTECTION OF OUR MARINE ENVIRONMENT; AND

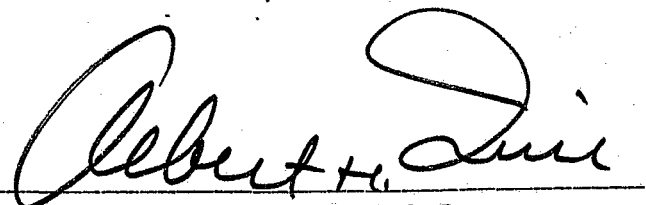
WHEREAS: THE MEMBERS OF THE COAST GUARD AND ITS RESERVE AND AUXILIARY COMPONENTS ARE WILLING TO RISK THEIR LIVES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR TO ASSURE THE SAFETY AND PLEASURE OF OUR RECREATIONAL BOATERS AND TO MAINTAIN THE FLOW OF COMMERCIAL VESSEL TRAFFIC THROUGH OUR WATERS;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF AUGUST 2 THROUGH 9, 1981 TO BE

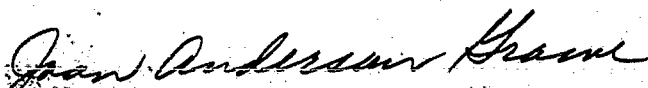
COAST GUARD APPRECIATION WEEK

IN MINNESOTA, AND HAVE ASKED LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR LOU WANGBERG TO PREPARE THIS PROCLAMATION FOR MY SIGNATURE AND DISSEMINATE THE SAME.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF JULY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE, AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THIRD.


GOVERNOR


LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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