

Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE TRAPPING OF FUR BEARING ANIMALS AND THE TRADING OF THIS VALUABLE, RENEWABLE RESOURCE HAS BEEN A PROFESSION DATING BACK TO THE EARLY FUR TRADERS AND VOYAGEURS WHOSE HERITAGE IN MINNESOTA IS GREATLY VALUED; AND

WHEREAS: THE TRAPPERS OF MINNESOTA, IN ORDER TO CONTINUE THIS TRADITION, WHICH TODAY IS STILL A NECESSARY AND VALUABLE WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT TOOL, AS WELL AS A GRATIFYING RECREATIONAL PURSUIT, HAVE FORMED THE MINNESOTA TRAPPERS ASSOCIATION; AND

WHEREAS: There will be a large number of outdoorsmen who trap for sport and for profit attending the Minnesota Trappers Association Convention;

WHEREAS: 1981 IS THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE MINNESOTA TRAPPERS ASSOCIATION:

NOW, THEREFORE, I. ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AUGUST 22, 1981 TO BE

TRAPPERS DAY

IN MINNESOTA, AND HAVE ASKED LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR LOU WANGBERG TO PREPARE THIS PROCLAMATION FOR MY SIGNATURE AND DISSEMINATE THE SAME, IN RECOGNITION OF THE ASSOCIATION'S EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF WILDLIFE, THE SPORTSMAN AND THE FUR INDUSTRY.

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

LIFITENANT GOVERNOR 33512

Jan anderson Grane