



# Proclamation

WHEREAS: THE WELFARE OF OUR STATE AND NATION INCREASINGLY DEPENDS ON CAPABLE PERSONS IN GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE INDUSTRY WHO HAVE A KNOWLEDGE OF A SECOND LANGUAGE AND CULTURE; AND

WHEREAS: THE MASTERY OF ANOTHER LANGUAGE IS AN ENJOYABLE AND REWARDING EXPERIENCE, BOTH SOCIALLY AND PERSONALLY AND ONE IN WHICH EVERYONE CAN PARTICIPATE; AND

WHEREAS: THIS STATE IS AN INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED CENTER OF TRADE, TOURISM, INDUSTRY, TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION; AND

WHEREAS: OUR CITIZENS CONTINUE TO REPRESENT A WEALTH OF CULTURAL AND LINGUISTIC GROUPS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO THE QUALITY AND VARIETY OF LIFE IN MINNESOTA; AND

WHEREAS: THE FIRST WEEK OF MARCH HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AS NATIONAL FOREIGN LANGUAGE WEEK;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA DO HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF MARCH 7 THROUGH MARCH 14, 1982 TO BE

## LANGUAGES AND CULTURES 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 FOURTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-TWO, AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THIRD.

*Albert H. Quie*  
GOVERNOR

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