



Proclamation

WHEREAS: ON JUNE 14, 1977, CONGRESS OFFICIALLY ADOPTED THE STARS AND STRIPES AS THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; AND

WHEREAS: ON JUNE 14, 1916, PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON ISSUED THE FIRST PROCLAMATION CALLING FOR NATIONAL OBSERVANCE OF THE FLY THE FLAG DAY; AND

WHEREAS: JUNE 14 HAS SINCE BEEN RECOGNIZED AS THE DAY OF SPECIAL RECOGNITION OF THIS PRIVILEGE AND HAS BEEN OBSERVED THROUGHOUT THE NATION WITH THE FLYING OF THE AMERICAN FLAG; AND

WHEREAS: THIS DAY PROVIDES THE OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL CITIZENS TO DISPLAY THE FLAG ON HOME AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS AS A REAFFIRMATION OF THEIR PRIDE AND COMMITMENT TO THE PRINCIPLES OF THIS NATION; AND

WHEREAS: FLYING THE FLAG SHOULD ALSO SERVE AS A REMINDER OF THE DEDICATION AND SACRIFICE OF THOSE MEN AND WOMEN WHO COMMITTED THEMSELVES TO THE DEFENSE OF OUR COUNTRY'S FREEDOM AND HONOR;

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

FLAG DAY

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 NINTH DAY OF JUNE IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOURTH.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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