



Proclamation

WHEREAS, THE NATIONAL ECONOMY IS EXPERIENCING A SERIOUS RECESSION, MARKED BY HIGH UNEMPLOYMENT AND REDUCED LEVELS OF ACTIVITY IN ALL SECTORS OF THE ECONOMY; AND

WHEREAS, THE CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL RECESSION HAS RESULTED IN REDUCED SPENDING BY MINNESOTA CONSUMERS AND DEPRESSED LEVELS OF MANUFACTURING AND SALES BY MINNESOTA CORPORATIONS, THUS CAUSING REVENUES GENERATED BY THE PERSONAL INCOME, SALES AND CORPORATE INCOME TAXES TO BE SIGNIFICANTLY LOWER THAN PREVIOUSLY ESTIMATED; AND

WHEREAS, IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE NATIONAL RECESSION WILL CONTINUE AND WILL CAUSE A PROJECTED DEFICIT OF \$312.5 MILLION IN THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE BIENNIUM ENDING ON JUNE 30, 1983; AND

WHEREAS, IT IS NECESSARY THAT IMMEDIATE STEPS BE TAKEN TO BALANCE THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE CURRENT BIENNIUM IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE LAW, THEREBY CREATING AN EXTRAORDINARY OCCASION; AND

WHEREAS, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 12 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA PROVIDES THAT A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE LEGISLATURE MAY BE CALLED IN EXTRAORDINARY OCCASIONS;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ALBERT H. QUIE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, DO HEREBY SUMMON YOU, MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE, TO CONVENE IN SPECIAL SESSION ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1982, AT 10:00 A.M. IN THE FORENOON AT THE CAPITOL IN SAINT PAUL.

I URGE THE LEGISLATURE TO ACT EXPEDITIOUSLY TO ADOPT A RESPONSIBLE BUDGET-BALANCING PROGRAM.

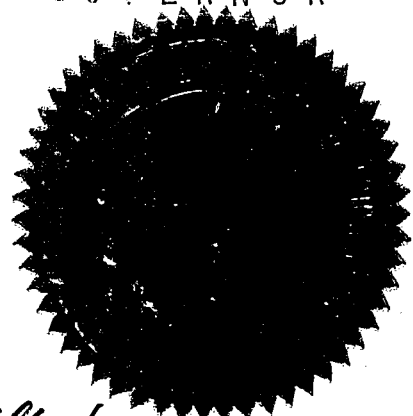
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND CAUSED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO BE AFFIXED THIS SIXTH DAY OF DECEMBER IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO AND OF THE STATE THE ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOURTH.


GOVERNOR


SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Secretary of State



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