



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota citizens deserve speedy settlement of claims and disputes; and

WHEREAS: The amount of litigation in Minnesota has resulted in crowded court calendars and delays in justice; and

WHEREAS: Many citizens can be helped through alternative programs, such as mediation and arbitration; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota State Bar Association, the Hennepin County Bar Association and the American Bar Association have taken the lead in informing citizens of these alternatives; and

WHEREAS: These efforts deserve public attention for the benefit of all Minnesotans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of ^{June} 1984, to be

ALTERNATIVES TO LITIGATION MONTH

Minnesota, and do hereby commend the bar associations for their efforts to improve the quality of justice in Minnesota and bring to Minnesota citizens dispute-settling programs which will save money, avoid further crowding of court calendars and inform Minnesotans of alternatives to litigation.

John Anderson Howe
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this eleventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-four, and of the State the one hundred twenty-sixth.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Jon Carlson
Secretary of State