

## **Proclamation**

WHEREAS: There are more than 12 million diabetics in the United States and the number of people

developing diabetes is increasing rapidly; and

WHEREAS: Diabetes and its complications are the third leading cause of death by disease in our

country; and

in Minnesota.

WHEREAS: The Minnesota affiliate of the American Diabetes Association is seeking to aid in

finding a cure of preventive of diabetes, as well as conducting research, educational,

and community service programs here in Minnesota;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim November to

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FURTHER, I urge all citizens to support the 1985 campaign of the American Diabetes Association,

Minnesota Affiliate, through their contributions and volunteer services, in order to accelerate progress in the conquest of this nation's third largest killer disease.

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 Capital this twenty-fifth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-five, and of the State the one hundred twenty-seventh.

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