



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Free enterprise and the small businesses of this state are largely responsible for the opportunities that our state and country have enjoyed throughout our history; and

WHEREAS: The public should be aware of the role free enterprise plays as a part of small businesses; and

WHEREAS: The Pierz and Minnesota Distributive Education Clubs of America, businesses, industry and concerned citizens are now taking an active role in recognizing the importance of free enterprise and small businesses in making Minnesota businesses an example of Excellence in Action;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of January to be

FREE ENTERPRISE AND SMALL BUSINESS  
EXCELLENCE IN ACTION MONTH

in Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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*Joan Anderson Howe*  
Secretary of State

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 nineteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-six, and of the State the one hundred twenty-eighth.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Joan Anderson Howe*

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