



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Much modern technology is dependent on the use of highly developed plastic materials; and

WHEREAS: Plastics play an important role in social and economic progress for Minnesota; and

WHEREAS: There are approximately 491 companies in our plastics industry and the number of Minnesota citizens working within our plastics industry exceeds 23,000; and

WHEREAS: The total annual value of shipments of plastics products produced in Minnesota exceeds \$2.3 billion; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Chapter of the Society of the Plastics Industry is this week hosting a plastics industry exhibit for legislators and government officials February 11th; and

WHEREAS: The plastics industry's contribution to the present and future economic well-being of Minnesota is vital and significant;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the second week of February to be

PLASTICS WEEK

in Minnesota.

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 thirtieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven, and of the State the one hundred twenty-eighth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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