



Proclamation

WHEREAS: Concerned United Birthparents (C.U.B.) of Minnesota wants to be recognized as a concerned and viable part of the Adoption Triad; and

WHEREAS: Every adopted person has birthparents; and

WHEREAS: All adopted persons have a right to the knowledge of their genetic origins; and

WHEREAS: We, the birthparents, are the resource of this genetic information; and

WHEREAS: All family members, including adoption-separated families, have the right to know each other; and

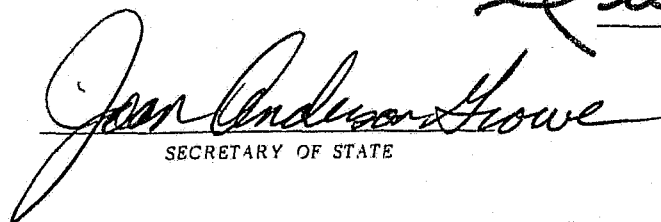
WHEREAS: CUB of Minnesota is committed to the goal of educating, for the purpose of affecting positive adoption reform;

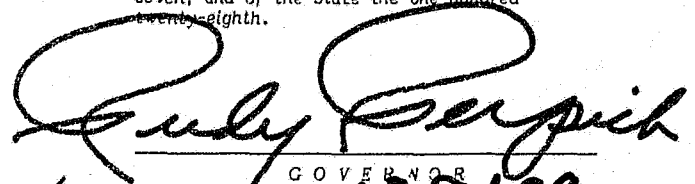
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the second week of April to be

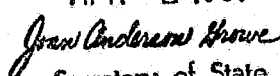
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in Minnesota, and urge that all local and state social service agencies, and the citizenry at large support the desire of birthparents to become a working and viable part of the adoption process.

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


SECRETARY OF STATE


GOVERNOR

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