



Proclamation

WHEREAS: There are 2,421 correctional officers who work in 100 correctional institutions throughout the State of Minnesota and are currently responsible for the containment and control of over 7,911 inmates; and

WHEREAS: Correctional officers have performed their duties in a most professional and dedicated manner; and

WHEREAS: Correctional officers are charged with the responsibility of protecting the public while at the same time are faced with potential harm to themselves from inmates; and

WHEREAS: Correctional officers are seldom acknowledged for the important jobs they perform under difficult and dangerous circumstances, and it is most important that all citizens of Minnesota join together in expressing their appreciation for the outstanding and dedicated service of such officers;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 4 to be

MINNESOTA CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS 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 twenty-first day of April 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

Joan Anderson Howes
SECRETARY OF STATE

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