



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesotans are enthusiastic participants and spectators in a wide variety of sports and athletic endeavors; and

WHEREAS: Among the most popular sports in Minnesota is that of soccer; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Youth Soccer Association is an active organization, dedicated to promoting and enhancing the game of soccer in our state; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota has been selected to host the USYSA REGION II Championships, The World America Women's International Soccer Tournament, which will be held July 3 through July 13; and

WHEREAS: More than 6,000 players are expected to participate in these tournaments, which involve over 300 teams from 4 continents;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim July 5 through July 11 to be

SOCCER WEEK

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
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JUN 24 1987  
*Joan Anderson Howe*  
Secretary of State

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 nineteenth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven, and of the State the one hundred twenty-ninth.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Joan A. Howe*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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