

STATE OF MINNESOTA



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The well-known character Eliza Doolittle, created in Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion" and brought to the stage in London and New York by the famous actress "My Fair Lady," demonstrates the importance of speaking one's native language properly and

WHEREAS: The character of Eliza Doolittle is currently visited by the Fair City, telling the story of her involvement with a Cockney-accented flower girl who finds of excellent elation, in performances of "My Fair Lady" at the University of Minnesota, and

WHEREAS: Eliza Doolittle's story is an example to students and citizens of Minnesota that educational training in speech, elation and grammar is a vital asset in achieving a successful and happy future;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim that

ELIZA DOOLITTLE DAY

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 and twenty-first.

Rudy Perpich

Joan Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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