



Proclamation

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

WHEREAS: Soccer is among the most popular sports in Minnesota; 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 U.S. Soccer Federation's Midwest Regional Championships, which will be held July 10 through July 13 in Burnsville; and

WHEREAS: More than 4,000 people are expected to participate in this tournament, which involves 108 youth teams from the 13 great midwestern states;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim July 13 to be the

DAY OF SOCCER CHAMPIONS

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 first day of July 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 Anderson Howe
SECRETARY OF STATE

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