

WHEREAS: Mike Plant is a native Vinnesotan; and

On August 30, 1986, 29 competitors from around the world set out on the most grueling WHEREAS:

sailboat race every created -- the B.O.C.; and

Mike Plant sailed over 27,000 miles, circumnavigating the globe sailing the world's WHEREAS:

most unforgiving waters; and

in Minnesota.

Mike Plant, on April 11, 1987, completed his circumnavigation in 157 days, 11 hours WHEREAS:

and 45 minutes -- a full four days ahead of his nearest competitor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim July 27 to

MIKE PLANT DAY

STATE OF MINNESOTA'
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Joan anderson Showe IN WITNESS WHERE (Society, hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Hate of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twentieth 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.

LIEUTENANT