



## Proclamation

- WHEREAS: The people of Minnesota have a long history of commitment both to education and to friendship with neighbors, both at home and abroad; and
- WHEREAS: Since May 1984 Project Minnesota/Leon has developed a sistering relationship between the people of Minnesota and the people of Leon, Nicaragua; and
- WHEREAS: There are presently over 100 church, school and community groups across Minnesota working through development, cultural and educational projects with corresponding groups in Leon; and
- WHEREAS: A delegation of 12 young people and Fr. Miquel Sabaldon, their chaperon, from Leon, Nicaragua, currently are visiting communities throughout Minnesota to further develop this friendly relationship; and
- WHEREAS: A corresponding delegation of Minnesota's young people will visit Leon in the spring of 1988;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rulon G. Perpich, Governor of the state of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim October 16 to be

PROJECT MINNESOTA/LEON DAY

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
FILED

in Minnesota.

OCT 29 1987

*Jan Anderson Howe*  
Secretary of State

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

*Rulon G. Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Jan Anderson Howe*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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