

Proclamation

WHEREAS: The Continental Basketall Association (CBA) has been in existence for 42 years; and

Basketball fans in Rochester and throughout the State of Minnesota wholeheartedly support the CBA and the Rochester Flyers professional team; and WHEREAS:

The Flyers are the first men's professional basketball team to be based in Minnesota in over seventeen years; and WHEREAS:

WHEREAS: On January 8, 1988, the E.S.P.N. Television Network will carry the Flyer's games to viewers throughout the nation; and

The people of Minnesota recognize this opportunity for nationwide coverage for the City of Rochester and the State of Minnesota; WHEREAS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, January 8, 1988 to be

ROCHESTER FLYERS DAY

in Minnesota, and encourage all citizens to demonstrate support for CBA basketball by filling the Mayo Civic Arena and cheering the Flyers on to victory during their debut on National Lelevision.

IN WITNESS WIIEREOF, I have herewito set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this thirty-first day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven, and of the State the one hundred twenty-ninth.

SECRETARY OF STATE

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