



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The two-hundreth anniversary of the ratification of the United States Constitution will be celebrated throughout the United States during 1988; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota attained statehood and formally ratified the United States Constitution on May 11, 1858; and

WHEREAS: The anniversary of Minnesota's ratification will occur May 11;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, May 11, 1988 to be

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and October to be

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in Minnesota to help celebrate the Constitution of the United States.

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-ninth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.



Joan Anderson Thorne
SECRETARY OF STATE

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Secretary of State

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