

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Workplace accidents killed 43 Minnesotans last year; and

More than 50,000 first reports of injury were filed with the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry, Workers' Compensation Division last year; and WHEREAS:

It is estimated that approximately \$700 million was spent on industrial injuries last WHEREAS:

year; and

Federal and Minnesota Occupational Safety and Health Agencies, whose mission is to guarantee a safe and healthful workplace, hereby pledge their full support; and WHEREAS:

The American Society of Safety Engineers, Associated General Contractors and the Minnesota Safety Council, organizations dedicated to the reduction of workplace accidents and deaths, hereby pledge their full support; and WHEREAS:

This endeavor is worthy of our support and cooperation so that we may reduce the toll of workplace injuries and deaths; WHEREAS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim June 26 through July 2 to be

SAFETY IN THE WORKPLACE WEEK

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 ninth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the Style the one hundred thirtiethe

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