



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Minnesota's gay and lesbian citizens have contributed to the richness and diversity of the state in such areas as the human services, the arts, education, business, agriculture and government; and

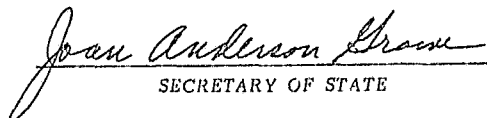
WHEREAS: Minnesota's gay and lesbian citizens have provided valuable leadership in organizing resources and educating about A.I.D.S. and homophobia; and

WHEREAS: Minnesota's gay and lesbian citizens have continued to struggle for the freedom for all people from unlawful discrimination and harrassment;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby congratulate Minnesota gay and lesbian citizens, their family and friends on a successful 1988 Festival of Pride.

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

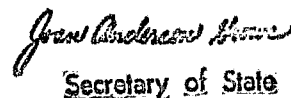
  
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