



Proclamation

WHEREAS: St. Jude Medical was incorporated in Minnesota in 1976; and

WHEREAS: St. Jude Medical manufactures mechanical heart valves for the treatment of cardiovascular disease; and

WHEREAS: The first St. Jude Medical mechanical heart valve was implanted in Minnesota on October 3, 1977; and

WHEREAS: The 200,000th St. Jude Medical mechanical heart valve was implanted in Minnesota on September 10, 1988; and

WHEREAS: St. Jude Medical has been producing mechanical heart valves for implantation worldwide for 11 years, helping people lead healthier, more productive, longer lives;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the 17th of October, 1988 to be

S T . J U D E M E D I C A L D A Y

In Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
FILED.

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Joan Anderson Shover
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 tenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Joan Anderson Shover
SECRETARY OF STATE

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