



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: Steven Thorne has served as the Deputy Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources since 1978; and

WHEREAS: As Deputy Commissioner, his responsibilities include overseeing budgeting, planning and operations of the Department of Natural Resources, and ongoing interaction with state agencies, public and private organizations, legislators, citizens and the media, and Steve Thorne has done all this and more, with dedication and excellence; and

WHEREAS: The National Governor's Association has chosen Steve Thorne as their "Conservationist of the Year"; and

WHEREAS: Steve Thorne is highly deserving of this special honor for his outstanding conservation work, and it is appropriate to set aside a day in his honor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Tuesday, October 4, 1988 to be

STEVEN THORNE DAY

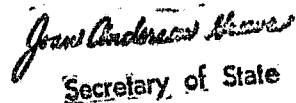
in Minnesota.

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

  
GOVERNOR

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Secretary of State

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