



Proclamation

WHEREAS: The New Freedom Bell, a certified replica of the original Liberty Bell, was made at the request of Nichiren Shoshu Soka Gakkai of America (NSA), to reawaken in every American the spirit of the Founding Fathers in commemoration of the United States Constitution Bicentennial; and

WHEREAS: The New Freedom Bell is being presented to the heartland of the United States, traveling the length of the Mississippi, on a tour sponsored by NSA to promote peace and harmony; and

WHEREAS: The New Freedom Bell will arrive in Minnesota on October 7, 1988 and may be viewed and rung by the citizens of Minnesota to reaffirm their determination to solidify a foundation of hope, courage and confidence towards a peaceful world;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, October 7, 1988 to be

NSA NEW FREEDOM BELL DAY

in Minnesota, in recognition of NSA's efforts to promote peace and individual happiness and in appreciation for bringing the New Freedom Bell to the State of 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.

Rudy Perpich
GOVERNOR

Jean Anderson Strom
SECRETARY OF STATE

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