

Proclamation

WHEREAS: There are over twelve hundred employees serving the public within the Department of

Revenue; and

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Department employees process five million documents annually and collect more than five billion dollars from thirty-five types of taxes to support school aids, property tax relief, local government aids, individual assistance programs and several other state

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These dedicated employees provide leadership and work with others to help make Minnesota's state and local tax system fair, efficient, stable, competitive, and understandable in structure and operation by advising state officials, taxpayers and

local governments; and

Department employees promote teamwork in developing and administering the tax system through partnerships with Minnesotans to make the system work effectively; and WHEREAS:

Revenue employees are capable, hardworking people, who have a great commitment to their profession rivaling other revenue departments in the country; and WHEREAS:

Revenue employees take their commitment to leadership seriously by performing high quality work, using creativity, taking responsibility and solving problems; and WHEREAS:

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With the turn of the year it is once again time for all of us to participate in the annual ritual of filing income tax returns; and

The Department of Revenue has just been empowered to serve taxpayers by consolidating operations formerly conducted in nine separate locations under one roof at 10 River Park Plaza in St. Paul; and

WHEREAS: The move provides much improved working conditions for hundreds of Revenue employees;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the eighth day of January, 1989, to be

REVENUE EMPLOYEE DAY

in Minnesota.

WHEREAS:

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 twenty-second day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight, and of the State the one hundred

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