

## Proclamation

- In 1947 Don Clark, with Bob Ridder, founded the Minnesota Amateur Hockey Association, (MAHA) and through the years, built it into the most successful organization of its kind in the United States; and WHEREAS:
- Don Clark served as President of the MAHA from 1954 to 1957, and Secretary/Treasurer from WHEREAS: 1949-74; and
- Don Clark founded the first Bantam Level Tournament in the nation, he was manager of the first United States National Team to ever play in the Soviet Union, and he served as Vice President of the Amateur Hockey Association from 1968 to 1978; and WHEREAS:
- In 1975 Don received the Lester Patrick Award for service to hockey in the United States from the National Hockey League, and he was enshrined in the United States Hockey Hall of Fame in 1978; and WHEREAS:
- Don has served as Registrar of the Minnesota District for the Amateur Hockey Association of the United States for 41 years; and WHEREAS:
- It is fitting to set aside a day to honor this man who has devoted so much time and effort to the sport of hockey in the State of Minnesota and in the United States; WHEREAS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, January 28, 1989 to be

DON CLARK DAY

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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-fourth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

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