## STATE OF MINNESOTA

## DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## COMMISSIONER'S SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREA ORDER NO. 52

WHEREAS, THE LANDS DESCRIBED IN LE SUEUR COUNTY, MINNESOTA, AS:

Government Lot One (1), Section Twenty-one (21); that part of Government Lot Four (4), Section Twenty-two (22), lying Easterly of the East line of Lot Seven (7) of the Subdivision of part of Section Twenty-two (22), Township One Hundred Eleven (111) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West; that part of Government Lot Three (3), Section Twentytwo (22), lying and being West of the right-of-way of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company; Lots One (1), Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Eight (8), Nine (9) and Ten (10) of the Subdivision of Section Twenty-two (22), Township One Hundred Eleven (111) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West; all that part of the Northeast Quarter (NE 1/4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Twentytwo (22) lying West of the right-of-way of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company.

All located in Township One Hundred Eleven (111) North, Range Twenty-six (26) West, LeSueur County, Minnesota, according to the U.S. Government Survey and Plat thereof on file and of record in said County.

are under the control and possession of the Department of Natural Resources; and

WHEREAS, such lands contain an excellent example of the foodplain forest community significantly illustrating the characteristic vegetational zonation on well developed point bars associated with the Minnesota River.

WHEREAS, the most effective means by which such lands can be used and protected for educational and research purposes in such manner, and by such means as will leave them conserved for future generations is by designation as a Scientific and Natural Area.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Joseph N. Alexander, Commissioner of the Department of Natural Resources, pursuant to authority vested in me by law, do hereby designate the above-described lands as Chamberlain Woods Scientific and Natural Area.

Furthermore, the Chamberlain Woods Scientific and Natural Area is designated as a Public Use unit, open to the public for nature observation and general public educational or research activities.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the provisions of Minn.
Rules pts. 6135.4500 through 6135.5000, inclusive shall apply to the above-designated area.

Dated this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_

, 1989.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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JOSEPH N. ALEXANDER, COMMISSIONER

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND EXECUTION

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