

## Proclamation

WHEREAS: The National Institute of Certified Travel Agents (ICTA) was founded in 1964 to promote

education and professionalism in the travel industry for the benefit of individual travelers; and

The Institute of Certified Travel Agents created the Certified Travel Counselor (CTC) designation to recognize experienced travel professionals who have completed its rigorous certification program; and WHEREAS:

Over the last 25 years, more than 11,000 travel industry professionals have earned the Certified Travel Counselor designation nationwide and more than 6000 additional WHEREAS:

industry employees are currently enrolled in the certification program; and

WHEREAS: There are now over 150 Certified Travel Counselors employed or living in the State of

Minnesota; and

The ICTA Board of Trustees presented Charter #24 for an ICTA Education Forum to the organizers of the Minnesota Regional Forum on July 28, 1980 to provide CTC's with WHEREAS:

further eductional opportunities to enable them to continue counseling travelers in a knowledgeable fashion; and

WHEREAS: These CTC's represent the highest level of professionalism in the industry;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Thursday, May 11, 1989 to be

INSTITUTE OF

CERTIFIED TRAVEL AGENTS 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 May 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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