

## Proclamation

Organized labor has always promoted the dignity and rights of all working men and WHEREAS:

women; and

Hundreds of thousands of American jobs have been lost to foreign imports in the name of WHEREAS:

so called "free trade" despite the existence of barriers to United States products in

other countries: and

It is more important than ever to buy the products and services produced in America by WHEREAS:

American workers; and

Products and services identified by a Union Label, Shop Card, Store Card or Service WHEREAS:

Button are guaranteed to be made in the USA;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim September 4-9, 1989 to be

UNION LABEL WEEK

in Minnesota in recognition and in honor of these distinguished emblems which signify the commitment to quality and dignity in the American workplace.



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-first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eightynine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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