

Proclamation

WHEREAS: Our state is working to neip Minnesotans who receive public assistance make a

successful transition off welfare and into the work force through our state's employment and training programs; and

During the last year, over 7,000 AFDC recipients have voluntarily enrolled in those programs and are working toward self-sufficiency in the career of their choice; and WHEREAS:

County human services, job training agencies, schools, technical institutes, and other people in the community are working effectively with clients to marshal the necessary resources to help turn clients to marshal the necessary resources to help turn clients' WHEREAS:

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In addition to providing our existing employment and training programs, our state is moving forward to implement the next generation of welfare reform; and WHEREAS:

With our Minnesota Family Investment Plan proposal, we are seeking Congressional approval which will mean Minnesota again provides national leadership with a vision and a plan for a truly reformed system that meets the economic and social needs of families in Minnesota; WHEREAS:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Mismesota, do hereby proclaim July 16-22

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in Minnesota, to honor the clients working loward self-sufficiency and all those dedicated to working on their behalf.

> 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 eleventh day of July 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 **FILED**

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