

## **Proclamation**

Each year, the hosiery industry adds more than \$3\$ billion to the American economy, and provides employment for over 68,500 people in 28 states; and WHEREAS:

In spite of severe challenges from foreign competition, America's hosiery makers continue to produce the finest quality product at prices that are both reasonable and WHEREAS:

This dedication to excellence and quality is shared by the employees of the domestic hostery industry who take great pride in the products they provide for all Americans; WHEREAS:

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All hosiery manufacturers share a common pride in their high-quality products, high-technology equipment and status as one of the few textile-apparel groups who are

successfully maintaining their competitive edge in the world marketplace;

NOW,THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim August  $13-19,\ 1989$  to be

NATIONAL HOSIERY WEEK

in Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I nave hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this nineteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirty-first.

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEMORTMENT OF UNIT HILED

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Secretary of State