



## Proclamation

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota and the Minnesota Trade Office regard Japan as an important trading partner; and

WHEREAS: The mission of the Minnesota Trade Office is to promote, assist and help develop exports and foreign direct investments; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Trade Office has set as a major goal the establishment of the international trade offices in selected foreign countries for the purpose of providing high quality and responsive services to Minnesota companies; and

WHEREAS: The Minnesota Trade Office is pleased to be able to offer these high quality services through public-private partnerships;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim

HIROSHI YAMASHITA

TO BE

HONORARY TRADE REPRESENTATIVE TO JAPAN

for the State of 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 first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine, and of the State the one hundred thirtieth.

*Rudy Perpich*  
GOVERNOR

*Jean Anderson Grove*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Jean Anderson Grove*  
Secretary of State

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