IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE HONORABLE WILLIAM R. STURTZ, JUDGE OF DISTRICT COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT, STATE OF MINNESOTA, FOR RETIREMENT PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF MINNESOTA STATUTES SECTIONS 490.126, SUBD. 2 AND 490.121, SUBD. 8.

WHEREAS, the Honorable William R. Sturtz, Judge of District Court, Third Judicial District, State of Minnesota, has made application to the governor by letter dated December 29, 1989 for retirement effective April 30, 1990; and

WHEREAS, the said Honorable William R. Sturtz has served as Judge of Probate and Juvenile Court for Freeborn County since June 30, 1969; Judge of County Court since July 1, 1972; and Judge of District Court since June 13, 1984; and

WHEREAS, the said Honorable William R. Sturtz has satisfied the necessary legal requirements established under Minnesota Statutes Sections 490.121 to 490.132 for such retirement at the close of business on April 30, 1990.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RUDY PERPICH, Governor of the State of Minnesota, acting in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes Chapter 490, do hereby order and direct the retirement of the Honorable William R. Sturtz, Judge of the District Court, Third Judicial District, State of Minnesota, said retirement to be made effective on April 30, 1990. He shall become entitled thereafter to such retirement compensation provided under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 490. I hereby direct that this Order be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota.

Dated this fifth day of January, 1990, at the State Capitol in the City of Saint Paul, State of Minnesota.

RUDY PERPICH

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