

## **Proclamation**

WHEREAS: Clinton Hill was an eleven-year-old boy with a big dream; and

Clinton's hope was that kids could save the Earth and all its creatures from pollution WHEREAS:

by acting on their desire for a cleaner, healthier planet; and

WHEREAS: Before Clinton died of a malignant brain tumor November 27, 1989, he had planned to

become a scientist and inventor to help save the Earth, and had drawn pictures of a pollution reversal machine that he wanted to invent; and

Clinton founded a club in his sixth-grade class called Kids for Saving Earth and successfully urged fellow students to join and to sign their commitment to a written WHER EAS:

promise to be defenders of the Earth; and

His parents, William and Tessa Hill, promised Clinton that they would help him to WHEREAS:

realize his vision of a worldwide children's environmental organization, and they are committed to ensuring that his dream becomes reality; and

WHEREAS:

Tessa Hill approached Target Stores for support in creating a national not-for-profit organization called Kids for Saving Earth, and Target Stores agreed to provide that support, financial and otherwise, in the form of advertisements and promotions for the

organization and materials that will help children participate in Kids for Saving Earth; and

Children all over the world will now have the opportunity to take action in defense of the Earth, with the support of the Kids for Saving Earth organization; and WHEREAS:

WHEREAS: Clinton Hill was an exceptional boy whose dream lives on to serve the State of

Minnesota, the nation, and the Earth;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby posthumously proclaim that the twelfth anniversary of Clinton Hill's birth, Tuesday, June 12, 1990 will be

CLINTON HILL DAY

in Minnesota.

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

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