



Proclamation

WHEREAS: *the efficiency of modern society is largely dependent upon effective communication, and this function has more and more become the responsibility of secretaries; and*

WHEREAS: *the increasing amount of communication inherent in our complex society has made it necessary for today's secretary to acquire technical skills and to assume the responsibility for countless details in the operation of a business; and*

WHEREAS: *today's secretary must have at command tact, diplomacy, increasing business and economic knowledge, and decision-making ability in the greater role the secretary is performing as a member of the management team; and*

WHEREAS: *the important contribution made by secretaries in business, government, and the professions of our country has been recognized by designating the week of April 18 as Secretaries Week and Wednesday, April 21, 1976, as Secretaries Day;*

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 18 through April 24, 1976 as

SECRETARIES WEEK

and Wednesday, April 21, 1976, as

SECRETARIES DAY

in Minnesota, and I urge all citizens to recognize the efforts made by our secretaries in the operation of industry, the professions, and government, which have made them truly silent partners in American Business.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto my hand and caused the Great Seal of State of Minnesota to be affixed at State Capitol this seventeenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred seventy-six and of the the one hundred eighteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson

GOVERNOR

Jan Anderson Brown
SECRETARY OF STATE

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Jan Anderson Brown
Secretary of State