

# Proclamation

WHEREAS: the State of Minnesota has numerous people of Czech and Slovak descent who have, by their great characteristics of moral, intellectual and physical hardiness, provided enormous contributions to the growth of this state; and

WHEREAS: these people have joined in the building of a strong Minnesota as pioneers, and their descendants are forging ahead in the continual task of making this state a better one in which to live; and

WHEREAS: October 28 of this year marks the 60th anniversary of the formation of Czechoslovakia; and

WHEREAS: the Czechoslovak Society of Arts and Sciences in America, Inc., during their Ninth World Congress to be held for one week in Cleveland, Ohio, are dedicating this anniversary to the remembrance of the principles upon which the "free and independent" Czechoslovakia was founded; and

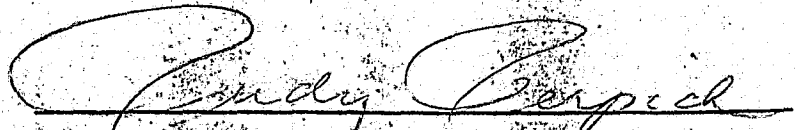
WHEREAS: remembrances will also be held throughout Minnesota, particularly at a concert featuring three Czech composers to be held at Lincoln High School in Bloomington on October 29;

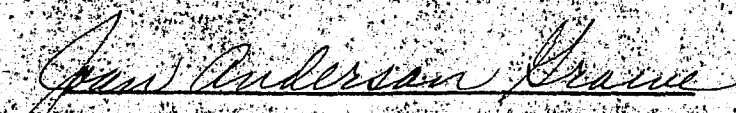
NOW THEREFORE, I, Rudy Perpich, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of October 22-29 to be

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in Minnesota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Governor's Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this nineteenth day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred seventy-eight and of the State the one hundred twentieth.

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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