

## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR CITY OF CHICAGO

RICHARD M. DALEY

## **PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, on June 25, 1995, Arnold Jacobs will be honored at the International Tuba Euphonium Conference (ITEC) for his contributions to the music industry and musicians throughout his long career; and

WHEREAS, Arnold Jacobs was the tuba player for the Chicago Symphony Orchestra (CSO) from 1944 until his retirement in 1988; and

WHEREAS, during his legendary career with the CSO, his "Rock of Gibraltar" sound allowed the rest of the ensemble to build the "Chicago Brass" sound which no other orchestra's brass section could approach; and

WHEREAS, his talent earned critical acclaim and greatly enhanced the prestige of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and the entire City of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Arnold Jacobs is also known worldwide for his research and teaching, helping brass and wind players, as well as singers, in the areas of tone production, breathing and music-making; and

WHEREAS, musicians of every instrument and vocal register have made special trips to Chicago to learn from this master teacher:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD M. DALEY, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO, do hereby proclaim June 25, 1995, to be ARNOLD JACOBS DAY IN CHICAGO, and urge all citizens to recognize his many contributions to the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and musicians worldwide.

Dated this 5th day of June, 1995.