

Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Specialist Richard L. Kranig's dedication to service has made him a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize these patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, Specialist Kranig has devoted 25 years of his life to the service of this state and country as a water treatment specialist, bridge crew specialist, combat engineer, and a wheeled vehicle mechanic, including service in Iraq and many state activations in support of South Dakota Emergency Operations; and,

Whereas, His loyalty and leadership have made him a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

Whereas, Specialist Kranig continues to give of himself; and,

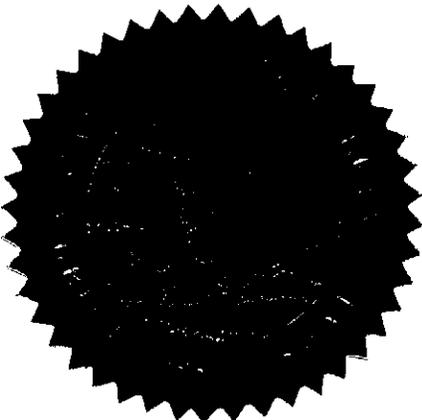
Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend Specialist Richard L. Kranig for 25 years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 29, 2012 as

SPECIALIST RICHARD L. KRANIG DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him well in his retirement and thanking him for his service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States of America.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Ninth of July in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twelve.


Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant
Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State