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STATE OF MINNESOTA

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Executive Order No. 55

In accordance with the authority vested in me by Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 124.62, Clause (20) as amended by Chapter 872, 1969 Session Laws, I hereby accept the provisions of P. L. 90-302, Section 13 of the National School Lunch Act (42 U.S.C. 1761), so that the State Board of Education may administer this federally funded program designed to provide non-profit food service programs for children in service institutions pending further action by the 1971 Minnesota Legislature.

It shall be the responsibility of the Minnesota State Board of Education to enter into a contract with the United States Department of Agriculture so that the available federal funds may be utilized to the fullest extent by the State of Minnesota in implementing the purposes of this program.

Available federal funds for the state administration of this act may be used for employment of necessary personnel in the Department of Education through classified or unclassified state service or by contract for the period of time that the federal funds continue to be available therefor pending further action by the 1971 Minnesota Legislature.

In testimony thereof, I have hereunto set my hand at St. Paul, Minnesota this 23rd day of October 1969.

/s/ HAROLD LeVANDER

Harold LeVander G O V E R N O R

ATTEST:

/s/ JOSEPH L. DONOVAN

Joseph L. Donovan Secretary of State STATE OF MINNESOTA Department of State Filed 10/25/69 /s/ Joseph L. Donovan Secretary of State