

Declaration of Intent of the Minnesota Department of State

- 1. The education of our children is one of the most important obligations of our democratic society and requires the continued interest and support of all citizens who are rightly concerned with the future of American life; and
- 2. The teachers and parents are also the greatest responsibilities in insuring the full development of youth and in preparing them for the challenges of worldwide living; and
- 3. The Parent-Teacher Association offers an appropriate organization in which parent interests in youth can be fostered and thereby the school becomes a more vital center of community activity and stimulates the participation of citizens in public affairs; and
- 4. The Minnesota Teachers as parents and teachers is about to begin a new season of activities and action of the people of our state. We join in this public-spirited enterprise in behalf of the cause of education; and

Approved: W. W. W. W., Governor of the State of Minnesota, on hereby certifies the month of October, 1947, as

Parent-Teacher Month. We urge its observance.

and urge all parents and teachers to join together in this worthy endeavor which contributes greatly to the welfare of the children.

In further observance, I have hereby set by law and passed the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed to the State Capitol in St. Paul, the fifteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty seven and of the state the ninetieth.

Luther W. Youngdahl  
Governor

Wm. A. Holm  
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