

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "Army Day"

WHEREAS, the President of the United States, as Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces, has designated April 6, 1949, as Army Day throughout the United States and at our overseas installations; and

WHEREAS, this annual observance serves to remind the people of our nation of the contributions made by the Army to the securing of peace and the preservation of the American way of life; and

WHEREAS, it provides an opportunity to focus our attention on the importance of national security and on the sacrifices which have been made to guarantee our birthright of freedom; and

WHEREAS, it offers an occasion for the United States Army to report to the people on its present status and plans for the future;

BEFORE, THEREFORE, I, LUTHER W. KORNBLI, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim April 6, 1949, as

"ARMY DAY"

and call upon all citizens to observe this special day of honor to the soldiers and veterans of our army at home and in foreign lands by the display of our national colors, suitable meetings and parades and by continued support of our Army, National Guard and Reserve organizations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol in Saint Paul this fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine and of the state, the ninety-first.

Luther W. Kornbli
GOV. MINN.

ATTEST:

Frank Holm
SECRETARY OF STATE

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