

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "Jewish Palestine State Day"

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WHEREAS, on May 14, 1948, people of the Jewish faith will join in celebration of the first anniversary of the Independence of Israel; and

WHEREAS, this reestablishment of the Jewish National Home is cause for great rejoicing among all who have a devout reverence for the Holy Land and have long held hope for justice to the Jewish people; and

WHEREAS, the first anniversary is also a source of gratification to those who have faith in the United Nations as an instrument for world peace because it has achieved much progress during the past year in bringing peace and tranquility to Israel through the use of conciliation, mediation and compromise; and

WHEREAS, the nation of Israel has taken her place as a new democracy among the democratic nations of the world and has thus brought inspiration and joy to freedom-loving people everywhere;

I, THOMAS J. LEVY, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 14, 1949, as

"JEWISH PALESTINE STATE DAY"

in honor of this historic occasion and extend to Dr. Chaim Weizmann, first President of Israel, and to the people of Israel the hearty congratulations and sincere good wishes of the people of Minnesota.

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 thirteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine and of the state, the ninety-second.

*Luether W. Youngdahl*  
GOVERNOR

SECRET:

*Mike Holman*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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