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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "I Am An American Day"

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has designated May 21, 1950, as "I Am An American Day"; and

WHEREAS, the strength of our nation is dependent upon a citizenry which understands and appreciates our priceless democratic heritage; and

WHEREAS, this special occasion provides all American citizens, naturalized and native-born, with an opportunity to join in recommitment to the basic principles of our way of life and to the task of carrying out the obligations of citizenship;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LUTHER W. YOUNGDAHL, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 21, 1950, as

"I AM AN AMERICAN DAY"

and urge that the day be set aside as a public occasion for recognition of those of our youth who have become of age and of those foreign-born who have been naturalized during the past year. I further urge civic groups, educational organizations, patriotic societies and all citizens to participate in special programs of rededication to the ideals of our nation.

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 twenty-sixth day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and fifty and of the State, the ninety-second.

ATTEST:

Luther W. Youngdahl
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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