

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE STATEMENT

A proclamation for "Crusade for Freedom Month"

WHEREAS, the conflict between Democracy and Communism is a battle for the minds, souls and allegiances of men; and

WHEREAS, Communist propaganda seeks to capture the minds of men through the technique of lies; and

WHEREAS, the Crusade For Freedom is a dynamic truth campaign designed to refute Soviet lies and proclaim the reformation of the American people that freedom and peace shall prevail throughout the world; and

WHEREAS, the Crusade For Freedom is a mobilization of American citizens pledged to resist Communist aggression and dedicated to the preservation of the God-given dignity and freedom of man;

I, THOMAS F. I. AUSTIN, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim September, 1950, as

"CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM MONTH"

and I urge all citizens of Minnesota to observe the month by enrolling on the Freedom Scrolls to signify their faith in the American way of life and their willingness to work for lasting peace in the world.

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 this first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty and of the State, the ninety-third.

Richard F. Austin
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Mark Nelson
SECRETARY OF STATE

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