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STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "World Jewish Child's Day"

WHEREAS, the call for the observance of "World Jewish Child's Day" has gone out to every land pointing to the great need for gathering the homeless Jewish children and bringing them to their homeland, Israel; and

WHEREAS, this day is a solemn memorial to the more than one million Jewish children who perished tragically in Europe's hell during the war. It is also a plea to save the hundred thousand Jewish children still waiting to be taken into Israel as their only hope for a new life; and

WHEREAS, seventeen years ago this month, the first group of Jewish children arrived in Palestine under the Youth Aliyah movement. It was through this movement, that Jews and Christians rescued and rehabilitated fifty thousand European Jewish children; and

WHEREAS, "World Jewish Child's Day" can become a real link in furthering understanding and friendship between the children of Israel and the children of America;

WE, THEODORE F. LUTHER W. JOHNSON, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby call upon the citizens of Minnesota to join with their fellow Americans, and others throughout the world, whose hearts must be in sympathy with the plight of these Jewish children, in the observance of "World Jewish Child's Day" Sunday, April 8th, 1951.

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 fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one and of the state, the ninety-third.

ATTEST

*Theodore F. Johnson*  
GOVERNOR

*Michael J. ...*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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