

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "University of Minnesota Week"

WHEREAS, it has become traditional for the Junior Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the Minnesota Alumni Association, to conduct each February a University of Minnesota Week, with events in the Twin Cities and throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, historically the people of this state have demonstrated their firm and unswerving faith in the primary importance of higher education; and

WHEREAS, in pursuance of that faith, the people of Minnesota through their elected representatives and by means of personal benefactions have created and maintained, throughout one hundred and five years of progress and fulfillment, a University outstanding not only in the United States, but also among the great universities of the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 20th through 26th, 1956, as

"UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA WEEK"

and urge our citizens to recognize the great benefits and advantages derived by persons in all walks of life from the existence of this distinguished institution and its perennial contributions not only to knowledge but to the good life in this and other states.

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 sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six and of the state, the ninety-eighth.

ATTEST:

Joseph P. Sullivan
SECRETARY OF STATE

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

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Secretary of State

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