

A Proclamation for "SARVES DAY"

WHEREAS, early in 1954, at a time when the future security and life of our Republic were in critical danger, the United States Navy found its new world Service Construction Battalions, officially and popularly designated as the Seabees, and

WHEREAS, throughout the long months of World War II, nearly a quarter of a million Seabees worked night and day to provide roads, airports, camps and other installations, which enabled the armed might of our nation and its allies to prevail over the treacherous forces of our enemies and in the Korean action was well, Seabees were actively engaged in unflinching landings and operations in stemming the rising tide of communist aggression in that part of the world; and

WHEREAS, today, wherever the interests of our nation require them, the knowledge and ability of the Seabees are being used for the protection of the American people and host of them on full time active duty in a strong and vitally energetic Service Reserve of construction men, trained and ready for further service to the country at any time the need arises;

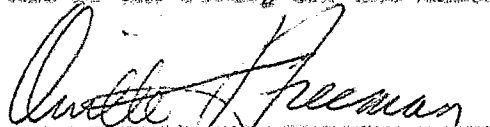
BEFORE, President, E. Dwight L. Brown, in order to pay tribute to the gallantry and accomplishments of the Seabees on the 10th anniversary of their formation, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, March 5, 1958, as


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and call the attention of our citizens to the great record of the Seabees in supporting our Armed Forces.

BY MYSELF TRUSTED, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 5th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight and of the State, the one hundredth.

ATTEST:


GOVERNOR

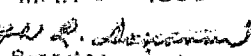

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