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Secretary of State

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. ARCHER, JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, FOR RETIREMENT UNDER AND PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF MINNESOTA STATUTES 1953, 490.101, 490.102.

ORDER

WHEREAS, the Honorable William J. Archer, Judge of the District Court of the First Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, has filed with the undersigned Governor of Minnesota his application for retirement pursuant to authority of Minnesota Statutes 1953, 490.101, 490.102, and it appearing therefrom that he has served and was serving as Judge of the District Court of Minnesota on the effective date of Laws 1949, chapter 640 (Minnesota Statutes 1953, 490.101, 490.102); that he has attained the age of 73 years; that he has completed fifteen years of service as such judge and as judge of probate; that he has made application for retirement from such office within the time required by law after having become eligible; and that by such application he prays the order of the Governor of Minnesota directing his retirement, effective at the close of business Monday, April 14, 1958; and it appearing that he is entitled to that retirement under the law:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, in pursuance of the law aforesaid, We hereby order and direct the retirement of William J. Archer aforesaid as Judge of the District Court of the First Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, thereby entitling him to the compensation allotted to his office from the date of his retirement until the expiration of the term for which he was elected and thereafter, for the remainder of his life, one-half the compensation allotted to his office at the time of his retirement, and I direct that this order be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota at the close of business on the 14th day of April, 1958, at which time, under the authority of the statute aforesaid, the office of the judge of District Court of the First Judicial District of Minnesota, now held by the Honorable William J. Archer, will become vacant.

Dated at the State Capitol in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota this thirteenth day of March, 1958.

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA