

PROCLAMATION

Automobile Inspection and Repair Month

WHEREAS, the loss to Minnesota through traffic accidents - in terms of the deaths of beloved relatives and friends, of broken homes and destitute families - etc. properly be measured only in heartbreak and suffering; and

WHEREAS, in addition, in economic terms, traffic accidents last year cost Minnesota \$82,800,000; and

WHEREAS, the solution to the grave problem of traffic accidents and deaths will be found only in vigorous leadership on local, state and national levels in conjunction with wholehearted cooperation of all citizens; and

WHEREAS, one cause of traffic mishaps which can easily be corrected is the operation of defective and improperly maintained vehicles;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of October, 1956, as

AUTOMOBILE INSPECTION AND REPAIR MONTH

and urge every Minnesotan to give special attention to the need for proper brakes, turn signals, tires, visibility through windshield and windows, tail lights, headlights and front end alignment as a means to eliminate defective vehicles from the streets and highways of state of Minnesota.

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 twenty-ninth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight and of the state, the one hundred first.

Orville L. Freeman

GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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