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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Secretary of State

A PROCLAMATION FOR "TOASTMASTER WEEK"

WHEREAS, the fine art of public speaking can be one of the best means for communicating ideas among people in our democratic nation; and

WHEREAS, public speaking requires great skill and mental agility which can be gained only through practice and constructive criticism; and

WHEREAS, the Toastmasters International is an organization dedicated to the encouragement of better public speaking among the citizens of our state and nation and is holding its annual Minnesota Fall Conference this week;

I, therefore, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of October 26, 1958 as

TOASTMASTER WEEK

and urge Minnesotans to take notice of the excellent work the Toastmasters International is doing to encourage individuals to improve their capacity to communicate both publicly and in private discussion.

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-second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight and of the state, the one hundred first.

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR