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Joseph L. Johnson
Secretary of State

A PROCLAMATION FOR "NATIONAL GOLF DAY"

WHEREAS, some five million people in the United States now enjoy the health-giving recreation and sportsmanship of the Game of Golf; and

WHEREAS, the Professional Golfers' Association of America will sponsor the Eighth Annual "National Golf Day" on Saturday, June 6, 1959; and

WHEREAS, during the last seven years \$660,000.00 has been realized from National Golf Day for such worthy projects as the United Service Organizations, the American Red Cross, the National Caddie Scholarship Program, the U. S. Blind Golfers' Association, the National Amputee Golf Association, the Jayceo International Junior Golf Championship, the Jayceo War Memorial Fund, the United Voluntary Services, the American Legion's Voluntary Services and the U. S. Olympic Association; and

WHEREAS, this day in 1959 will offer all the golfers of America an opportunity to again assist many of those worthy charities and projects, as well as an opportunity to compete against the PGA Champion and the USGA Open Champion;

BE IT THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Saturday, June 6, 1959 as

"NATIONAL GOLF DAY"

in the State of Minnesota and urge all the golfers of our State to cooperate in this worthy venture by playing a round of golf on National Golf Day, thereby contributing to the many worthwhile projects and charities associated with this great game.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this sixteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine and of the state the one hundred first.

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Johnson
SECRETARY OF STATE