

## STATE OF MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE OFFICE SAINT PAUL 1

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January 8, 1959

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 10

WHEREAS, the Honorable Bernard McGovern, Judge of Probate for the County of Steele, in and for the State of Minnesota, did petition me on or about the twenty-ninth day of December, 1959, that he be permitted to retire as Judge of Probate of Steele County, in and for the State of Minnesota;

WHEREAS, the petitioner was born December 21, 1888;

WHEREAS, he was appointed Judge of the Probate Court for Steele County, Minnesota, on February 27, 1932, and he qualified and assumed the duties of that office;

WHEREAS, that thereafter at the expiration of each term of office, he has been duly elected and re-elected and has served continuously as such probate Judge since February 27, 1932;

WHEREAS, he has become physically incapacitated from performing his judicial duties and will be so incapacitated for the remainder of his present term of office which expires the first Monday in January, 1963; that the nature of said physical incapacitation is a heart condition which has become progressively worse since January 1957, when said physical disability first began to appear;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, hereby direct:

- (1) That the Honorable Bernard McGovern, Judge of Probate Court, Steele County, in and for the State of Minnesota, is hereby retired for the unexpired portion of said term, to wit, until the first Monday in January, 1963, and that said retirement is done under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, section 490.11.
- (2) That under the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, section 490.11, he shall receive one-half the compensation allotted to his office for the remainder of his life, to be paid in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1957, section 490.12, subd. (1).

(3) That this Executive Order shall take effect at the close of

business on January 16, 1960.

STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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Secretary of State

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