

A PROCLAMATION FOR "LAW DAY U. S. A."

WHEREAS, the Republic was founded upon the principle of the supremacy of law; and

WHEREAS, the rule of law administered by free and independent courts secures to the inhabitants of these United States the rights and privileges guaranteed by our Constitution; and

WHEREAS, by Presidential proclamation, the first day of May has come to be observed annually as "LAW DAY U.S.A.", in order to emphasize the role of law in a free society and to encourage its use as an instrument to promote peace and well being among the peoples of the world; and

WHEREAS, the observance of "LAW DAY U.S.A." on Sunday, May 1, 1960, will serve to symbolize our Nation's faith in the ultimate ascendancy of religious principles and spiritual values over lawless force and power;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 1, 1960, as

"LAW DAY"

throughout the State of Minnesota; and, in furtherance thereof, I hereby urge the people of this State to join in its nationwide observance during the week following May 1, 1960 by appropriate programs and commemorative services in our churches, schools, courts, public bodies, and private organizations. I further urge the people of this State to observe

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on May 2, 1960, by the display of flags by public bodies and private citizens, as is generally appropriate for the celebration of our legal holidays.

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 fifth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty and of the State the one hundred second.

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

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