

A PROCLAMATION FOR "UNION LABEL WEEK"

WHEREAS, the men and women who compose the organized labor movement contribute in a substantial degree to insure our economic stability; and,

WHEREAS, as the direct result of labor's endeavors to obtain for the wage earner a more suitable share of the fruits of their labor, business everywhere has benefited by increased productivity and an expanded market as a result of greater purchasing power among all segments of our people; and,

WHEREAS, the American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations and its Union Label and Service Trades Department have declared the period of September 5th through the 11th as UNION LABEL WEEK as an effort to maintain fair wages, to create prosperity, to insure job security and to protect America through the patronage of merchandise and services designated by the Union Label, Shop Card and Service Buttons;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the period of September 5th through September 11th as

"UNION LABEL WEEK"

and call on all citizens to observe this week as a tribute to organized labor.

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

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Spornan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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