

A PROCLAMATION FOR "USO DAY"

- WHEREAS, February 4, 1961 marks the twentieth anniversary of USO - United Service Organizations, and
- WHEREAS, during this period the USO has mobilized the spiritual and social resources of this nation in support of the morale of the members of America's armed forces, and
- WHEREAS, the USO, through volunteer contributions of the American people, has been able to extend the hand of fellowship to the sons and daughters of this State, providing them with a "home away from home" wherever located in the service of our country, and
- WHEREAS, present world conditions require the maintenance of a strong military force composed of the finest youth of this state and nation,

NOW, THEREFORE, I Elmer L. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim February 4, 1961, as:

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in Minnesota and urge all citizens of our State to be cognizant of the many contributions of this great organization - representative of the three great faiths of the nation - and to pledge our continued support to its service to the members of America's armed forces throughout the world.

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 third day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one and of the state, the one hundred third.

*Elmer L. Anderson*  
GOVERNOR

*Joseph L. Anderson*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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