STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

ELMER L. ANDERSEN

GOVERNOR OF SAID STATE

To_____Clarence Prout

Of Honnepin County, SENDS GREETING:

Reposing especial trust and confidence in your prudence, integrity and ability I have appointed you the said <u>Clarence Prout, Acting Commissioner</u> of the Minnesota Department of Conservation, offective January h, 1961 (noon),

to sorve at the pleasure of Governor Elmer L. Andorsen.

Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 84.025.

You are therefore by these presents, appointed and commissioned_______as aforesaid,

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said office of <u>said Acting Commissioner</u> together with all the rights, powers and emoluments to the said office belonging, or by law in anywise appertaining, until this commission shall be by me or other lawful authority, superseded or annulled, or expire by force or reason of any law of this State.

> IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Saint Paul, this <u>twonty-fourth</u> day of <u>February</u> in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred <u>Sixty-one</u> and of the State the <u>one hundred third</u>.

By the Governor.

Secretary of State

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