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Secretary of State

A PROCLAMATION FOR "INTERNATIONAL FOOD FESTIVAL"

WHEREAS, food is man's most basic need, and every day every resident of the State of Minnesota is vitally concerned in satisfying his and his family's food requirements, and a host of workers in commerce, agriculture, and government in our state are daily engaged in satisfying these needs and wants with the widest variety of nourishing foods at the lowest possible cost to all, and

WHEREAS, the State of Minnesota is concerned with agriculture, which has played an important role in the development and history of our state, and our farm people and agricultural scientists have exemplified the spirit of pioneering and leadership which has brought about new goals of planning and development of food production in our state, and

WHEREAS, for the first time in history, the United States of America this year will be host nation to the greatest of all International Food Congresses and Exhibitions at the New York Coliseum from September 8 to 16, and

WHEREAS, the Fifth International Food Congress and Exhibition dramatizes the fact that through our system of free enterprise and competition it is possible for us to be well and abundantly fed, providing us with vital health for ourselves and our children,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer L. Andersen, Governor of the State of Minnesota, join in lauding the Fifth International Food Congress, and do hereby proclaim September 1 to September 15, 1962, as our statewide

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and invite visitors throughout the United States and the world to see our industry and to learn of the vast opportunities for plant locations as well as the new markets still available in our state, and I salute our State's food markets who effectively aid in maintaining the health, prosperity and well-being of our state and our nation.

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-eighth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two and of the State the one hundred fifth.

*Elmer L. Andersen*  
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE