

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, Minnesota ranks third in the nation in egg production, with an annual production of three hundred million dozen eggs, and
- WHEREAS, Minnesota egg production brings income of more than \$60 million annually to more than 60,000 farms of our State, and
- WHEREAS, the Minnesota egg market not only pays great dividends to the agriculture of our state but helps support allied industries such as feed manufacturing, equipment sales and egg processing, and
- WHEREAS, because eggs are one of nature's most nearly perfect foods, they fill an important dietary requirement, combining a heavy concentration of high quality protein with relatively few calories (77 per egg), and
- WHEREAS, the value of Minnesota-produced egg to individual bodily health and the agricultural economy is apparent,

NOW THEREFORE I, Elmer L. Andersen, Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim the month of March, 1963, as

"MINNESOTA EGG MONTH"

and urge all our citizens to serve, along with other Minnesota-raised foods, ample quantities of healthful, nourishing Minnesota eggs.

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-sixth day of February in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-three, and of the State, the one hundred fifth.

Elmer L. Andersen
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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