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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, through the United Nations' vigor and effectiveness it has, through the years, become increasingly effective as a forum for open discussion of world affairs and is now an effective instrument against hunger, illiteracy, disease and despair; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations is a main avenue for cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space and its peacekeeping potential provides a key to world disarmament; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations' activities have been beneficial to the national interests of the United States and its moral and financial support of the world's peoples, and Minnesota has provided a distinguished representation in the United Nations General Assembly and has supported its forum for world peace; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the United Nations has resolved that October 24th, the anniversary of the coming into force of the United Nations Charter, should be dedicated each year to making known the purposes, principles and accomplishments of the United Nations;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvang, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the day of October 24, 1964, as

"UNITED NATIONS DAY"

In Minnesota and I urge the citizens of this state to participate in the programs in their communities which will demonstrate their faith in the United Nations and which will contribute to better understanding of its aims, problems, and accomplishments.

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 fifth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, and of the State the one hundred seventh.

Karl F. Rolvang
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE