

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, May - National Home Improvement Month - a 31-day effort to encourage home owners to remodel, improve and modernize their dwellings, has been established by the National Home Improvement Council, the National Association of Home Builders, the National Lumber and Building Material Dealers Association and the National Established Repair Service and Improvement Contractors' Association, and

WHEREAS, In 1965 the national remodeling expenditure was approximately \$13 billion dollars, approximately \$235.00 for every American family, and

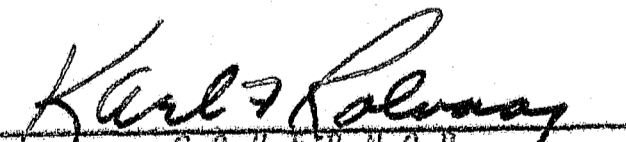
WHEREAS, home improvement activity beneficially effects 27 categories of retail business and helps to reduce unemployment as well as halting blight and increasing the value of our state's housing,

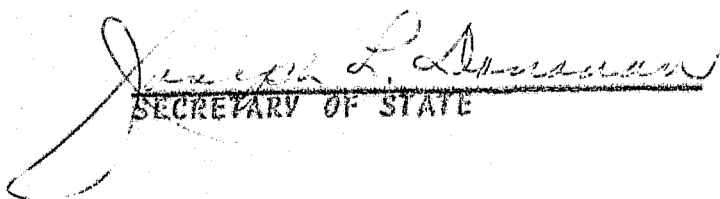
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Karl F. Rolvaag, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim May

"HOME IMPROVEMENT MONTH"

in Minnesota and urge increased attention to the improvement of our homes and our communities.

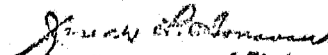
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this twenty-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixty-six and of the state the one hundred eighth.

  
GOVERNOR

  
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