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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the security of our nation depends intrinsically upon its citizens being united solidly for the defense of their cherished freedom ideals and our government, and

WHEREAS, our freedom rights and government are being threatened by certain foreign and domestic influences which apparently are striving to undermine the welfare of our nation, and

WHEREAS, such challenges to the United States government and to our American way of life can best be counteracted through forthright actions reaffirming unmistakably the determination of all loyal citizens to defend the entire structure of our nation, at all costs, and throughout every State of the Union,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the last day of May, 1967, as

"LOYALTY DAY"

In Minnesota, and urge that every individual, school, church, organization, business establishment and household within my official jurisdiction do openly reaffirm uncompromised allegiance to God, Flag and Country, through active participation in public demonstrations and ceremonies sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States and its co-sponsors on Loyalty Day, 1967.

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 ninth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven, and of the State the one hundred ninth.

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE

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