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Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Minnesota is justifiably proud of its local Chambers of Commerce, organizations which have done much to promote and protect business and to develop civic programs designed to make our state and cities better places in which to work and live, and

WHEREAS, the Chambers of Commerce throughout Minnesota have not limited themselves to business programs, but those who make up the membership have been in the forefront of every worthwhile civic project undertaken by our state and communities, and

WHEREAS, the Chambers of Commerce have consistently presented the business point of view on public questions at all levels of government enabling those in government to benefit by the counsel of local Chambers when matters of common interest have been under discussion, and

WHEREAS, our Chambers have been strong defenders of the free-enterprise system which encourages individual initiative and develops the leadership that makes it possible to secure maximum benefits for all the citizens of Minnesota,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 2-8, 1967, as

"CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WEEK"

In Minnesota, and call upon all of its citizens, its organizations and schools to recognize this special week and to join in its observance.

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

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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