

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, 1967 marks the 59th Anniversary of the U. S. Navy Nurse Corps, a virile and vital arm of the United States Navy and an essential professional component of the Navy Medical Service, and
- WHEREAS, the Navy Nurse Corps has historically guarded the health of dedicated officers and men of both the U. S. Navy and U. S. Marine Corps ashore and afloat throughout the entire world in the defense of the United States of America, and
- WHEREAS, members of the Navy Nurse Corps are currently lending their compassionate care to sick and wounded personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Air Force in hospital ships and medical facilities in Southeast Asia, as well as in Naval Hospitals here at home, and
- WHEREAS, the Navy Nurse Corps has, throughout the past 59 years, always responded to all national military emergencies in the best traditions of our Nation,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 15, 1967, as

"NAVY NURSE CORPS WEEK"

in Minnesota, in honor of this State's heroic servicemen and servicewomen who have laid down their very lives in the defense of human dignity and the cause of liberty.

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 in the City of Saint Paul this fifth day of May 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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