

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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*James J. ...*  
Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, Save the Children Federation, International child welfare organization, has brought help and hope to uncounted thousands of underprivileged children, their families and communities during the past thirty-five years, and
- WHEREAS, the Federation has grown from a county program in the Southern Appalachian Mountain region in 1932, to a world-wide organization currently administering 12,000 sponsorships and scholarships, distributing three million pounds of used clothing and encouraging child, family and community self-help, in depressed and developing areas in our country and overseas, and
- WHEREAS, the Federation is a pioneer of self-help methods to combat the causes of social and economic disadvantage, and directs self-help programs today in Appalachia, among the American Indians, and in Korea, Italy, Greece, Latin America, Africa, Lebanon, France and South Vietnam, and
- WHEREAS, this organization is registered with the U. S. State Department Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid and is a member of the International Union for Child Welfare, and is voluntarily supported each year by thousands of Minnesota's citizens and school children who regularly donate clothing and other gifts to Federation programs which benefit the lives of deprived people and their children,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Levander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim October 16, 1967, as

"SAVE THE CHILDREN FEDERATION DAY"

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to fittingly and generously observe this day on behalf of underprivileged children throughout the world.

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 seventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven, and of the State, the one hundred tenth.

*Harold Levander*  
GOVERNOR

*Joseph L. ...*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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