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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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J. L. Johnson
Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS,

Minnesota now leads the nation in the production of turkeys with about 10 million birds raised in 1967, and,

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production of turkeys contributes more than \$50 million in agricultural income annually which is important to the economy of the State, and,

WHEREAS,

turkey meat is delicious, nutritious and easy to prepare, and,

WHEREAS,

there is today a plentiful supply of turkeys at reasonable prices as a result of scientific breeding and improved production practices to enhance the turkey in quality, size and taste,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the month of April, 1968, as

"TURKEY MONTH"

In Minnesota, and call upon the entire turkey industry of this State, our citizens, our press and private and public organizations to join in its observance that we may learn more of the value of turkey as a food for all seasons.

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

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Johnson
SECRETARY OF STATE