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Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, citizens of this State have selflessly served as members of U.S. Army Reserve units for many years, answering the call to active duty during two world wars, the Korean conflict, and the Berlin crisis, many sacrificing their lives for the cause of freedom, and

WHEREAS, these citizen-soldiers continue to give up weekends, vacations and evenings to maintain a high state of readiness so that they will be prepared when called upon to defend this nation, and

WHEREAS, these citizen-soldiers of the U.S. Army Reserve are observing their 60th anniversary on April 23, 1968 and the people of this state owe so much to these patriotic fellow citizens,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Lavender, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of April 21 - 27, 1968, as

"U. S. ARMY RESERVE WEEK"

in Minnesota, and call upon all citizens of Minnesota to join in a tribute to the more than six thousand U.S. Army Reserve citizen-soldiers of this state who are giving so much of themselves so that this country will remain the greatest democratic society in 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 eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight, and of the State, the one hundred tenth.

Harold Lavender
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Dawson
SECRETARY OF STATE