

STATE OF MINNESOTA
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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, the inalienable rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, as guaranteed by the Constitution to every American citizen, are being challenged on many fronts, and
- WHEREAS, our first line of defense against the enemies of freedom is our law enforcement agencies, and
- WHEREAS, the citizens of our state have been fortunate in having one of the finest Police Departments in the nation protecting their rights, their liberties and their happiness, and
- WHEREAS, understanding is the watchword to compatibility and it is important that the people of our State know and understand the problems, duties and responsibilities of their Police Department,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 12 - 18, 1968, as

"POLICE WEEK"

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to take advantage of this opportunity to honor Police Officers in their community and to provide a wider base of understanding of their daily work.

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 ninth day of May 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. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE