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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, construction is the largest single industry in the Nation and in Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the economic well-being of the state and that of all Minnesota is directly affected by the efforts of the industry in its attempts to safeguard the individual workmen in construction; and

WHEREAS, these groups are concerned with the rising costs of accidents and a reduction in the costs of construction to the public; and

WHEREAS, Associated General Contractors of Minnesota, governmental agencies and organized labor have each year made progress in Industrial Safety; and

WHEREAS, the industry has, over the years, recognized those firms, individuals, and organizations in their attempts to reduce the frequency and severity of accidents in the construction industry, through annual recognition awards; and

WHEREAS, these groups have cooperated to sponsor a special day-long program to further interest in, and practice of, safety in the construction industry

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim Friday, March 7, 1969 as

"CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SAFETY DAY"

in Minnesota, and urge the public of the State of Minnesota to continue to support the ideals, and efforts of this industry in its attempt to decrease the occurrence of accidents in the construction industry and to thereby provide for a better industry and hence a better use of public monies in the taxpayers behalf.

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-first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine, and of the State, the one hundred eleventh.

*Harold LeVander*  
GOVERNOR

*Joseph L. Donovan*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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