

*J. L. S.*

P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the Moorhead State College Concert Choir will depart on June 10 for a month's concert tour of Europe and will sing in the principal cities of ten nations--Copenhagen, Oslo, Stockholm, Vienna, Paris, Frankfurt, Hamburg, Amsterdam, Zurich, Venice and London, and

WHEREAS, this will be the second such educational and cultural tour of Europe by the Moorhead State College Concert Choir, and

WHEREAS, the 1969 Europe Concert Tour has been made possible largely by the desires and fund-raising efforts of the students themselves, with donations from business community and facilitative support arrangement with the U. S. Department of State, and

WHEREAS, the 1969 Europe Concert Tour will further enrich the mutual benefits in cultural experience, education and international understanding gained by the members of the choir and their audiences, and

WHEREAS, the esteemed Mr. Ernest N. Morris, Chairman of the Department of Music at Moorhead State College has respectfully petitioned for my recognition of this mission of artistic undertaking and good will,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Leander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim and designate the Moorhead State College Concert Choir as

"THE GOVERNOR'S CHOIR, 1969"

and commission all of its members as the Minnesota Governor's Choral Ambassadors of Good Will, with my best wishes for a most successful Concert Tour in Europe.

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-seventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine, and of the State, the one hundred twelfth.

*Harold Leander*  
GOVERNOR

*Joseph L. Johnson*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Secretary of State