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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Amateur Wrestling is the fastest growing sport in the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, over 300 high schools in Minnesota actively participate in Amateur Wrestling programs; and

WHEREAS, over 15,000 young men actively participate in the manly sport of Amateur Wrestling each year in the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, Amateur Wrestling provides an equal opportunity for young men of all proportions to achieve championship status; and

WHEREAS, Amateur Wrestling seeks to promote better citizenship, individual initiative, creative thinking, physical and mental fitness; and

WHEREAS, Amateur Wrestling fosters the development of a fierce competitive spirit; it also teaches young men to accept defeat; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby designate the week of February 22 - 28, 1970, as

AMATEUR WRESTLING WEEK

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to attend the State Amateur Wrestling Tournament at the University of Minnesota on February 27 and 28 to see these fine young men in action.

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 thirteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy, and of the State, the one hundred twelfth.

Harold LeVander
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Donovan
SECRETARY OF STATE