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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, April 22, 1970, marks the 519th anniversary of the birth of Queen Isabella, dynamic Castilian queen, who through her faith and confidence in Christopher Columbus, gave the civilized world a new dimension; and

WHEREAS, Queen Isabella, wife of Ferdinand of Aragon, by her support of Columbus in his plans for exploration, earned for herself a unique place in the history of Western civilization; and

WHEREAS, in her own time, Isabella was a queen noted for clear intellect, energy, virtue and patriotism; and

WHEREAS, the qualities of confidence in the future, spirit of adventure with a purpose and sacrifice in the cause of human progress exhibited by Queen Isabella are characteristics worthy of emulation in our twentieth century era of exploration,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold Levander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, April 22, 1970, as

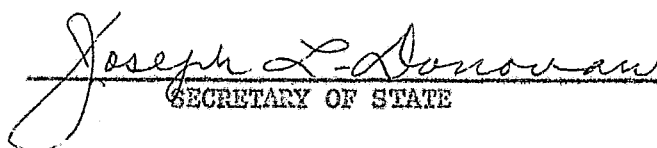
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in Minnesota, and urge all citizens, schools, historical and other interested organizations to suitably observe this significant event in the history of the world.

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

  
GOVERNOR

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