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## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the State of Minnesota is continually reassessing and up-grading its programs for the mentally retarded through legislation; and

WHEREAS. it is recognised that many contributions are being made in the private sector of time, talent and financial help to ald the retarded at with the State and local levels; and

there is still a great need for the public to be informed about mental WHEREAS, retardation, its problems and its programs, and to become active in support of these programs; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Honey Sunday program is dedicated to telling Minnesota about the needs of the retarded in Minnesota and the programs, present and future, designed to meet those needs and to raising funds to meet those needs;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Marold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, April 26, 1970, as

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in Minnesota, and urgo all citizens to support the program of aid to the retarded which this effort of the Minnesota Association for Retarded Children and the Minnesota Jaycees encompasses.

> 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 sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy, and of the State, the one hundred twelfth.

RNOR STATE OF MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF STATE FILED

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Secretary of State