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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, from the beginning of our Nation's independence, "the pursuit of happiness" has been recognized as a goal for all our people; and

WHEREAS, the profession of social work is dedicated to apply its knowledge and its skill, its insights and its creativity, to helping all people to attain their right to dignity, security, and pursuit of happiness; and


WHEREAS, we recognize the unique contribution that ethnic, minority-group students can make to the profession because of their background and strong commitment to social change, we are thus recognizing them, along with the present dedicated social service staff members of our communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harold LeVander, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the Month of March, 1970, as

SOCIAL WORKERS' MONTH

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to join with me in its observance, and to encourage the expansion of social work education for the disadvantaged persons of our State, and ask that the citizens maintain their interest in and support of the voluntary and governmental agencies through which social workers bring guidance and help to our people in seeking a better, more fruitful life.

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.

  
GOVERNOR

  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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