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PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS: March 17, 1971 marks the tenth anniversary of the Minnesota Lions Eye Bank and
- WHEREAS: since the inception of the Eye Bank over 2,448 eyes have been received in Minnesota and 490 have been used in cornea transplants and other operations and
- WHEREAS: over 20,000 Minnesotans have indicated their desire to donate their eyes by holding Eye Bank Donor Cards and
- WHEREAS: The Minnesota Lions Eye Bank performs a miraculous service by permitting the blind to see

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of March 1 - 7, 1971, as

MINNESOTA EYE BANK WEEK

in honor of the Eye Bank, the Lions Club and in honor of the thousands who have unselfishly donated their eyes so that others might see.

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

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Allen J. Erdahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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