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Allen J. Edsall
Secretary of State

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: The State of Minnesota takes great pride in the citizens of this State that rise to positions of national and international prominence and

WHEREAS: Dr. Russell A. Nelson, a man of Norwegian descent, a student of the University of Minnesota who attended the Johns Hopkins Medical School and, after diligent efforts, rose to the Presidency of Johns Hopkins Hospital and its Board of Trustees, one of the great centers of Medical Education and

WHEREAS: Dr. Russell A. Nelson has become recognized throughout the world for his contributions to Health, Medical Education and Hospitals and

WHEREAS: Dr. Russell A. Nelson has served this country as a distinguished leader in the health associations of our land, in particular The American Hospital Association as President, receiving that body's Distinguished Service Award, and

WHEREAS: Dr. Russell A. Nelson will on this day receive special recognition from the Regents of the University of Minnesota as they honor him as the recipient of the University of Minnesota's Outstanding Achievement Award.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim Friday, September 24, 1971, as

"DR. RUSSELL A. NELSON DAY"

throughout the State of Minnesota.

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 twenty-first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, and of the State, the one hundred fourteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Allen J. Edsall
SECRETARY OF STATE