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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: the Army Reserve Officers Training Program provides military leadership instruction at more than 200 of our nation's leading colleges and universities, and

WHEREAS: its purpose is to develop selected college-educated men for positions of responsibility as officers in the active Army and its Reserve Components, and

WHEREAS: the efficiency and vitality of the Army depends to a great extent upon the caliber of its young officers, more than half of whom are normally obtained each year through the ROTC program, and

WHEREAS: civilian executives and government leaders by the thousands have been ROTC members, among whom are the heads of many of the nation's largest business and industrial firms, members of Congress, governors and ambassadors.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim July 6, 1972 as

"ROTC DAY"

in 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-fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-two and of the State the one hundred fiftieth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Arden J. Erdahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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