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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: African-Americans have made significant contributions to the history and culture of the United States; and

WHEREAS: since 1926 a week has been set aside to recognize the importance of African-American history; and

WHEREAS: the theme of this year's observance is "Biography Illuminates the Black Experience";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 11 through February 17, 1973,

AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY WEEK

in Minnesota, and urge all citizens to help foster a better understanding between people and to encourage a keener appreciation of the heritage of all Americans.

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 fifth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three, and of the State, the one hundred and fourteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Arden J. Edsall
SECRETARY OF STATE

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