



PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: December 10, 1973 marks the twenty-fifth Anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights; and

WHEREAS: the General Assembly of the United Nations has called upon member nations to celebrate this anniversary in a manner which will serve the cause of human rights; and

WHEREAS: the General Assembly plans to launch on December 10, 1973, a Decade for Action to Combat Racism and Racial Discrimination; and

WHEREAS: the United States of America initiated and supported this General Assembly action; and

WHEREAS: the National Association of Human Rights Workers has pledged its best efforts to help implement this observance in a substantial manner, in cooperation with the International Association of Official Human Rights Agencies;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Wendell R. Anderson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim 1973-1983

A DECADE FOR ACTION TO COMBAT RACISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION

in Minnesota and urge all our citizens to work toward an open and equitable society, "with liberty and justice for all."

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 fourth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-three and of the State the one hundred and fifteenth.

Wendell R. Anderson
GOVERNOR

Arden J. Erlahl
SECRETARY OF STATE

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