STATE OF MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT SAINT PAUL

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, May 18th has been observed for the past several years as Goodwill Day, and

WHEREAS, This day is a most important one in the history of our country because it commemorates the first international step taken in the interest of universal peace, and

WHEREAS, There is a greater need than ever for international good will this year in view of the fact that the nations of the world are now spending annually over four billion dollars for armaments, while there are people in all countries who are lacking even the ordinary necessities and comforts of life,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Floyd B. Olson, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim May 18th as WORLD GOODWILL DAY and urge the people of this State to observe it by appropriate programs in churches, schools and other institutions, to the end that we may develop a sense of unity and common humanity among all people, and thus prepare the way for the establishment of permanent world peace.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the State of Minnesota, this 25th day of April, 1934.

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