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HAROLD E. STASSEN

GOVERNOR OF SAID STATE

To JAMES FORD BELL  
Of HENNEPIN County, SENDS GREETINGS:

Reposing especial trust and confidence in your prudence,  
integrity and ability I have appointed you the said

JAMES FORD BELL, CHAIRMAN OF THE MINNESOTA RESOURCES  
COMMISSION

You are therefore by these presents, appointed and commissioned CHAIRMAN  
CHAIRMAN as aforesaid,

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE said office of CHAIRMAN  
CHAIRMAN together with all the rights,  
powers, and emoluments to the said office belonging, or by law in  
anywise appertaining, until this commission shall be by me or other  
lawful authority, superseded or annuled, or expire by force or reason  
of any law of this State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set  
my hand and caused the Great Seal of the  
State of Minnesota to be affixed at the  
Capitol, in the City of Saint Paul, this

26TH day of APRIL, in

the year of our Lord one thousand nine  
hundred FORTY-THREE and of the  
State the EIGHTY-FIFTH.

BY THE GOVERNOR Harold E. Stassen  
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