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PROCLAMATION

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WHEREAS, During the past year, the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce has been active in the development of programs dedicated to the purpose of building a better America and providing freedom and opportunity to all young men returning from armed service, and

WHEREAS, it has a significant record of civic accomplishment in securing millions of tons of scrap metal; the mobilization of the entire organization in behalf of War Bond promotion with over a billion dollars raised as a result of Junior Chamber of Commerce effort; the active support and promotion of Red Cross and War Fund campaigns; and the sponsorship of community health projects, and,

WHEREAS, The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce annually presents to the "Outstanding Young Man" in over 800 communities throughout the nation, a Distinguished Service Award in recognition of significant civic service,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWARD J. THYE, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim

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as

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in Minnesota and commend these young men on the application of their energies to community problems and express our appreciation to them for their accomplishments toward victory.

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 in St. Paul, this 12th day of January, 1945.

ATTEST:

*Mikestola*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*Edward J. Thye*  
GOVERNOR

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