

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "USO Week in Minnesota"

WHEREAS, the USO, which made such an outstanding contribution to the morale of our armed forces during World War II, is continuing to provide its valuable services in time of peace; and

WHEREAS, there are over 3,000,000 men and women now serving in the armed forces, and more than half of them are under 21 years of age; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota has 61,117 youths serving in the military organizations of the nation; and

WHEREAS, we are appreciative of their need for the wholesome recreation and entertainment, which the USO gives to them; and

WHEREAS, it is recognized that the USO program is a worthy one, meriting our whole-hearted support;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, G. ELMER ANDERSON, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of October 25 to November 1, 1951, as

"USO WEEK IN MINNESOTA"

and urge all citizens to consider the valuable contribution which the USO is making to the youth in our armed services and to support gladly this program.

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 Twenty-fifth day of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one and of the state, the ninety-fourth.

*G. Elmer Anderson*  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

*Wm. H. Toben*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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