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A PROCLAMATION FOR "PHYSICAL THERAPY WEEK"

WHEREAS, physical therapy is a medical service devoted to the return of the ill and the handicapped to a constructive life; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota in 1958 had a ratio of one physical therapist for each 26,000 persons and the national average is one per 22,000 population; and

WHEREAS, many of the health needs of the people can be met through the development and utilization of the professional groups allied with physicians in medical care; and

WHEREAS, the American Physical Therapy Association has since 1922 fostered the development and improvement of physical therapy service and physical therapy education, and has made a concerted effort throughout the United States to meet the ever increasing demand for personnel; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association will be host to the 36th Annual Conference of the Association;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of June 21 through June 26, 1959 as

"PHYSICAL THERAPY WEEK"

in Minnesota

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this seventeenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine and of the state the one hundred first.

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Joseph L. Anderson
SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

FILED
MAR 18 1959

Joseph L. Anderson
Secretary of State