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A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the week of April 20-26 has been designated as World Fellowship Week for the promotion of inter-racial, inter-religious and international understanding and good will, and

WHEREAS, there has doubtless never been, in the world's history, greater need for the promotion of "Peace on earth and good will among men" than there is today when we must decide between amity bonds or atom bombs, and

WHEREAS, during this 19th annual World of Fellowship Week and this second anniversary of the formation of the United Nations Organization, representatives of the people of the world are meeting in an endeavor to devise world peace plans,

THEREFORE, I, J. Strom Thurmond, Governor of the State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim the week of April 20-26 as World Fellowship Week and the day of April 25th as a Day of Prayer, urging all our citizens of all faiths to petition divine guidance of Almighty God for those whose deliberations will so greatly influence or determine the welfare and destiny of mankind, that their decisions may be for the advancement of understanding and good will among all men.

Given under my hand and seal
this 27th day of March, in
the year of our Lord, nineteen
hundred and forty-seven.

J. STROM THURMOND, GOVERNOR

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of any record which
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