

Executive Department

State of California

P R O C L A M A T I O N

On the 74th anniversary of the founding of the Organization of American States, the President of the United States has proclaimed April 14, 1964, as Pan American Day and the week April 12-18 as Pan American Week.

This anniversary comes at a time when the people of the Americas are becoming increasingly aware of the common destiny and common goals which underlie relations among the American Nations.

Those goals are the creation of just and free societies in which American man is free to develop to his fullest potential the spiritual, intellectual and cultural drives bequeathed us by the Western Civilization to which we are common heirs.

That destiny is to achieve those goals as individual nations working in cooperation and at peace and, thereby, to serve as an everlasting demonstration of the power of free men and free nations to shape their social and political institutions to their own ends.

In keeping with President Johnson's request that governors of the 50 states issue proclamations calling attention to Pan American Day and Pan American Week, now, therefore, I, Edmund G. Brown, Governor of California, do officially proclaim April 14 as Pan American Day and the week April 12-18 as Pan American Week.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be affixed this 27th Day of March, A.D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-four.



Edmund G. Brown
Governor

ATTEST:

Frank W. Jordan
Secretary of State

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of the State of California

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FRANK W. JORDAN, Secretary of State
By *W. C. [Signature]*
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