The State of New Hampshire By His Excellency Christopher T. Sununu, Governor

A Proclamation

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Seventeen

EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY APRIL 7, 2017

WHEREAS, excellence in education is vital to the success of our nation and the State of New Hampshire; and in our state we seek the betterment of our citizens, and look to instill each child and adolescent with a good education; and

WHEREAS, by preparing our students for the responsibilities and opportunities of the future, education develops the intellect through lessons in literacy, math, and science; and

WHEREAS, one shining example of what education should be was provided by the Rebbe - Rabbi Menachem Schneerson, a global spiritual leader who dedicated his life to the betterment of mankind. A tireless advocate for youth around the world, the Rebbe emphasized the importance of education and good character; and

WHEREAS, the Rebbe taught that education should not be limited to the acquisition of knowledge, and we must think in terms of a "better living" not only for the individual, but society as a whole, and the educational system must pay more attention to the building of character; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the Rebbe's outstanding and lasting contributions toward improvements in world education, morality, and acts of charity, he has been awarded the Congressional Gold Medal, and the United States Congress has established his birth date as a national day to raise awareness for the education of our children;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim April 7, 2017 as EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY in the State of New Hampshire, and call this day to the attention of all citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of New Hampshire to be affixed this 7th day of April, 2017.

Christopher T. Sununu Governor

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