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

A Proclamation

In the year of our Lord Two Thousand and Eighteen

CENTENNIAL OF ROMANIA JULY 1, 2018

WHEREAS, on December 1, 2018 Romanians all across the United States will celebrate 100 years since the Great Union of Romanians, which led to the consolidation of a modern state inspired by the principles of freedom, democracy, economic liberty, and social progress; and

WHEREAS, the United States and Romania share a deep and longstanding friendship and a strategic partnership built around democratic values, historical ties, and a joint commitment to advancing the strength of transatlantic security and the promise of their mutual prosperity; and

WHEREAS, the talent, energy, and creativity of successive generations of Romanian-Americans, their rich cultural heritage and their contribution to American progress represent a most precious feature of the American society; and

WHEREAS, ties between the State of New Hampshire and Romania are increasingly more diverse due to an expansion in bilateral trade, educational programs, and the advent of an open community of American and Romanian youth who engage freely in innovation and entrepreneurship;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby proclaim JULY 1, 2018 as a celebration of the ROMANIAN CENTENNIAL in the State of New Hampshire, and congratulate Romania, the Romanian people, and all Romanian Americans in the State of New Hampshire on the anniversary of 100 years since Romania's Great Union, and commend Romania for her achievements as a vibrant nation, and for being a close and trusted friend and partner of the United States.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of New Hampshire to be affixed this 28th day of June, 2018.

Christopher T. Sununu

Governor