

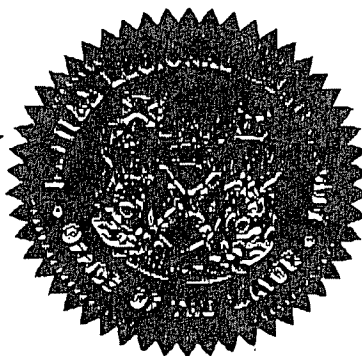
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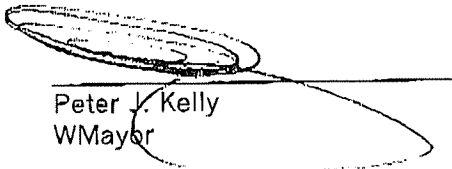
Conductive Education® Nova Scotia Day
October 18th, 2007

- WHEREAS March of Dimes Canada (MODC) was established to provide essential programs and resources across the country to people with physical disabilities; and
- WHEREAS Conductive Education® Nova Scotia, a program of March of Dimes Canada, was created in 2004 to offer the innovative learning system to citizens of the Halifax Regional Municipality with disabilities; and
- WHEREAS Conductive Education® merges elements of education with rehabilitation to improve the independence, mobility and confidence of people with disabilities. Conductors, or specially trained instructors, work with program participants to help them gain, or regain, physical mobility and self-sufficiency one small step at a time. Conductive Education® is especially beneficial to children with cerebral palsy and developmental apraxia, and adults with multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's disease or who have survived a stroke; and
- WHEREAS On October 18th, 2007, March of Dimes Canada will be holding a series of fundraisers in Halifax to benefit Conductive Education® Nova Scotia, with the goal of helping more people with disabilities from the Halifax Regional Municipality access this very beneficial program.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that, I, Mayor Peter J. Kelly, on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, do hereby proclaim October 18, 2007, as ***Conductive Education Nova Scotia Day*** in the Halifax Regional Municipality. I congratulate March of Dimes Canada on its efforts to create a society inclusive of people with physical disabilities and encourage all citizens of the Halifax Regional Municipality to support Conductive Education® Nova Scotia.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 16th day of October, 2007.




Peter J. Kelly
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