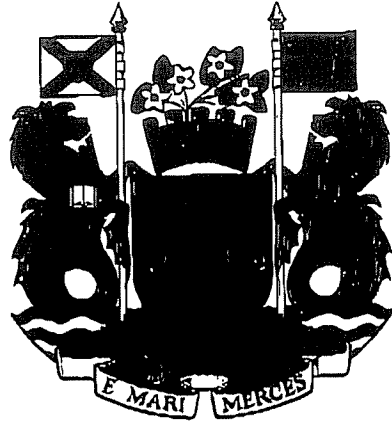


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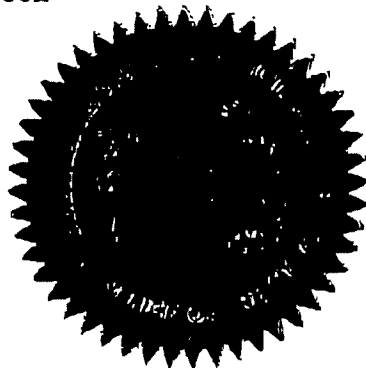


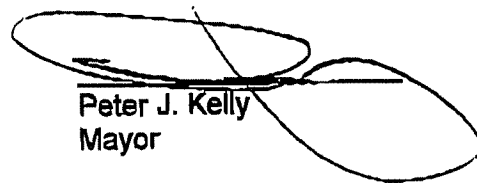
**INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE
ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION
MARCH 21, 2002**

- WHEREAS** The Halifax Regional Municipality is committed to the belief that equal opportunity and treatment should exist for all people; and
- WHEREAS** Every resident of the Halifax Regional Municipality has the right to realize his or her potential, regardless of race, colour, national or ethnic origin, and live at all times in conditions of dignity, respect, and peace; and
- WHEREAS** The General Assembly of the United Nations has designated March 21 as the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination; and
- WHEREAS** The elimination of racism and racial discrimination can be accomplished through understanding and respect for the dignity of all people, and is the social and moral responsibility of each person; and
- WHEREAS** Halifax Regional Municipality has adopted a Community and Race Relations Policy which recognizes the equality of rights and privileges of residents from all its diverse communities.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, do hereby proclaim March 21, 2002, as **INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACIAL DISCRIMINATION** in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 19th day of March, 2002




Peter J. Kelly
Mayor