



**SHINERAMA DAY
SEPTEMBER 2, 2003**

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

WHEREAS Shinerama is a nation wide fundraiser hosted by post-secondary institutions across Canada to raise money for Cystic Fibrosis research treatment programs; and

WHEREAS Cystic Fibrosis is a fatal, inherited disease which attacks the respiratory and digestive systems; and

WHEREAS approximately 1 in 2,500 children born in Canada have CF; and

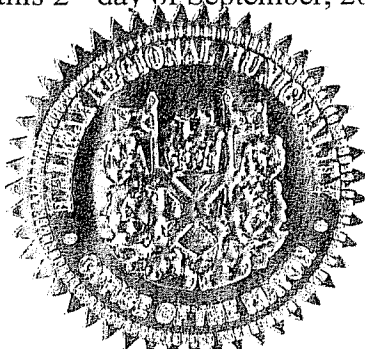
WHEREAS CF kills more Canadian Children than any other inherited disease; and

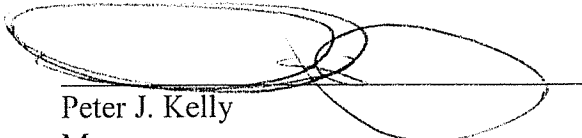
WHEREAS In the past 30 years research has increased the median age of survival of CF sufferers from under 4 years of age, to age 31; and

WHEREAS Shinerama is held during Orientation Week in September when the first year students hit the streets of Halifax shining shoes and performing for donations;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that, I, Peter J. Kelly, Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality, do hereby proclaim September 2, 2003 as, "*Shinerama Day*" in the Halifax Regional Municipality.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia
this 2nd day of September, 2003




Peter J. Kelly
Mayor