WHEREAS, engineers, through their education and experience, are highly skilled professionals contributing as educators, government and business people to an improved quality of life for the people of Maine; and

WHEREAS, opportunities in engineering and science encourage children to pursue education in mathematics and science and provide practical applications for their knowledge and skills; and

WHEREAS, in observance of National Engineers Week, the Maine Engineering Promotional Council has designated February 26 - March 3, 2012 as Maine Engineers Week; and

WHEREAS, thousands of Maine people will be exposed to the contributions of Engineers in our state and the nation through a statewide media campaign; and

WHEREAS, Maine children will be encouraged to consider engineering and science careers through the media campaign and activities including the Maine Engineering Expo; and

WHEREAS, engineering firms, manufacturers, colleges, educators and professional societies will participate in the Maine Engineering Expo providing hands-on activities in engineering and science for hundreds of Maine children,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAUL R. LEPAGE, do hereby recognize February 26 - March 3, 2012 as

MAINE ENGINEERS WEEK

throughout the State of Maine, and urge all citizens to recognize this observance.

In testimony whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed GIVEN under my hand at Augusta this Fifth day of March Two-Thousand Twelve

Paul R. LePage
Governor

Charles E. Summers, Jr.
Secretary of State
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