

Canada Province of British Columbia A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come — Greeting

WHEREAS British Columbia believes in supporting community celebrations that are inclusive and multicultural, and

WHEREAS the 2018 All Canadian Simultaneous Drumming Celebration Day will bring Canadians from nine cities across five time zones together to drum simultaneously to celebrate Canada's birthday on July 1, 2018, and

WHEREAS Vancouver will host the Guinness World RecordsTM attempt for "Most Nationalities in a Drum Circle" (single venue) by gathering participants from 50+ nationalities to celebrate multiculturalism and diversity within our communities, and

WHEREAS Vancouver's celebration will feature a line-up of multicultural drumming performances to showcase the cultural heritage of our vibrant communities, and

WHEREAS the Legacy 150 Celebrations Society, a non-profit organization registered both at the federal and provincial levels, took initiative in organizing this event with the help of over 200 community groups and supporters;

NOW KNOW YE THAT, We do by these presents proclaim and declare that July 1, 2018 shall be known as

"All Canadian Simultaneous Drumming Celebration Day"

in the Province of British Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this twenty-second day of June, two thousand eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General (counter signature for the Great Seal)

Lieutenant Governor