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On behalf of the State of New Hampshire, I want to say what an honor it is to have two full stages of this one-of-a-kind race take place in our state. It is a chance to show the cycling community – and the world – the natural beauty that makes New Hampshire so special.

The energy surrounding this race is building. Cities and towns are working together and with the state to ensure that the two stages of the race in New Hampshire are world-class events. As Governor, I want people from across the state, the country and around the world to come watch the race, and participate in the numerous activities that will run in conjunction with this event.

Cycling is a highly competitive sport that promotes a healthy lifestyle. This inaugural race promises to make a positive impact on our economy and tourism industry. And once the race is over, it is likely cyclists from all over the world will come to New Hampshire and retrace the stages that will run through our scenic communities, and take part in the various activities, shopping and dining that our great state has to offer.

Sincerely,

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