

State of South Carolina Proclamation

by
Governor Jim Hodges

WHEREAS, founded in 1945, the United Nations is dedicated to promoting international cooperation in solving economic, social, cultural, and humanitarian problems; and

WHEREAS, the creation of the United Nations inaugurated a new era of unprecedented international cooperation; and

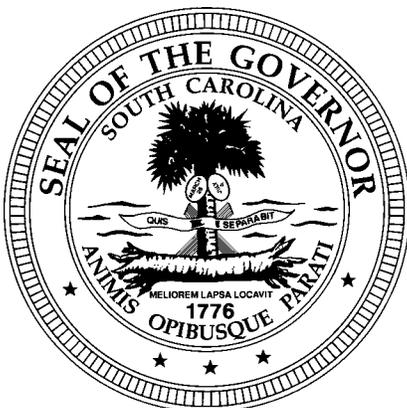
WHEREAS, today, the United Nations continues to work to maintain world peace and security, to develop friendly relations among nations, to cooperate in solving international problems, and to promote respect for human rights; and

WHEREAS, the United Nations Association of the United States of America will celebrate the 2002 observance of "United Nations Day" under the theme "A Global Response to Terrorism: The U.N.'s Role" in honor of the solidarity and support shown by the United Nations in response to the events of September 11, 2002.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jim Hodges, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim October 24, 2002, as

UNITED NATIONS DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize the positive impact of international cooperation on combating terrorism, fostering international respect for human rights, and promoting a more peaceful world.



A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Hodges".

Jim Hodges
Governor
State of South Carolina