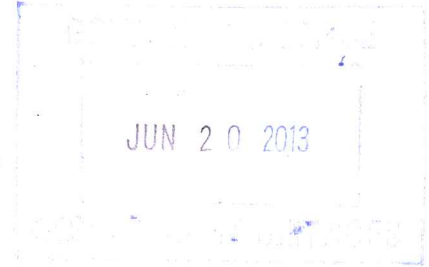


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June 12, 2013

Governor Deval Patrick
State House
Boston, Massachusetts 02133



Dear Governor Patrick:

Thank you for issuing a Proclamation designating Days of Remembrance in Massachusetts, memorializing the victims of the Holocaust; honoring survivors, rescuers and World War II veterans; and calling on citizens to promote human dignity and confront hate wherever it occurs.

Sara J. Bloomfield
Director

The United States Congress established the Days of Remembrance as America's annual commemoration of the Holocaust and mandated that the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum lead our nation in these observances. We are grateful for your partnership in this mission, and we thank you for your commitment to remembering the Holocaust and to educating citizens about the consequences of intolerance and unchecked hatred.

In 2014, Holocaust remembrance week will take place April 27-May 4. The Museum will again encourage and support remembrance across our nation by providing educational information, resources, and materials for planning state and local observances. We hope that you will once again mark this important time with a Days of Remembrance proclamation.

Thank you for your partnership with us in this important mission.

Sincerely,


Sara J. Bloomfield

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