TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME – GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: The aim of Children’s Environmental Health (CEH) Day is to raise awareness about the importance of clean air and water, safe food and consumer products, and healthy environments to children’s health and development; and

WHEREAS: CEH Day is observed on the second Thursday in October as a means to celebrate the progress in children’s environmental health and create a strong network of child health advocates; and

WHEREAS: CEH Day encourages individuals and organizations to raise awareness and understanding of children’s environmental health issues, seek improved protections for all children, and to perform acts of sustainability or environmental health wellness;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ASA HUTCHINSON, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Arkansas, do hereby proclaim October 8, 2020, as

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across the State, and I encourage my fellow citizens to observe this day with awareness-raising and environmental health and stewardship activities to create a healthier environment for our children.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 21st day of August, in the year of our Lord 2020.

Asa Hutchinson, Governor