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BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH
OF PUERTO RICO

A PROCLAMATION

Public Education Week

WHEREAS, the initiation of the present school year coincides with the enforcement of new legislation whose purpose is the betterment of public education, of teachers and of the pupils who benefit by this system;

WHEREAS, the decade 1960-1970 shall be a decisive one for the attainment of the highest goals of Puerto Rican culture and education, in whose spiritual results, knowledge and methods, this country has laid its hopes to a better civilization;

WHEREAS, the public schools of Puerto Rico have made great progress toward the fulfillment of the provisions in our Constitution guaranteeing the people their right to the benefits of education;

NOW THEREFORE, I, LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, do hereby proclaim August 7-13, 1960, as Public Education Week and urge the Puerto Rican community to celebrate acts of solidarity toward the public schools and teachers of this country; to visit the schools; to participate in the joyful initiation of school activities; and also to give the schools their utmost aid in carrying out their usual functions. I further urge that other educational and cultural institutions of the country strengthen the ties that bind them to the public schools in their common effort to offer our people of the best education, in accordance to the highest aspirations of the Puerto Rican community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here-
unto set my hand and caused
the Great Seal of the Common-
wealth of Puerto Rico to be
affixed, at the City of San
Juan, this 5th day of August,
A.D. nineteen hundred and
sixty.

(Sgd.) LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN
Governor

Promulgated according to law, this 5th day of August, 1960.

(Sgd.) N. ALMIROTY
Assistant Secretary of State