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Dear Friends:

On behalf of the State of New Jersey, I am pleased to extend congratulations to Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, as it celebrates its 250th anniversary.

Rutgers University has grown dramatically, expanding from its original charter in 1766 as Queen's College in New Brunswick to become one of the nation's most revered educational institutions. Comprised of 31 schools and colleges, the University is home to more than 67,000 students from all 50 states and more than 115 countries. The success and longevity of Rutgers is testimony to its remarkable leadership, diverse student body and nationally-renowned research programs.

I join with all those gathered in celebrating the many triumphs made by the students, faculty and staff and congratulate the University on this milestone anniversary. Best wishes to all for a successful, enjoyable and memorable celebration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Chris Christie".

Chris Christie
Governor