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October 3, 2016

The Honorable Karen Haas
Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Capitol, Room H154
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Madam Clerk,

Pursuant to section 3(c) of House Resolution 5 (114th Congress), I hereby designate the attached Memorial from the State of New Hampshire, received by the House of Representatives in the year 1969, as purporting to be an application of the State legislature calling for a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States pursuant to Article V, and request that you make it publicly available.

Sincerely,



Bob Goodlatte
Chairman

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

requesting Congress to convene a constitutional convention for the purpose of amending the constitution to make adequate provision for federal-state revenue sharing.

WHEREAS, all levels of government jointly bear the responsibility to safeguard the quality of American life; and

WHEREAS, state and local communities have and must retain primary responsibility for providing a major portion of domestic public services and facilities. To fulfill these commitments the states and their political subdivisions must have access to an equitable share of national fiscal resources which Congress now commands and influence through the federal tax system; and

WHEREAS, the federalization of the federal income tax will increase local government initiative and effectiveness by helping states, cities and counties to finance their own programs and set their own priorities with respect to solving unique and crucial local problems; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the House of Representatives and the Senate of the State of New Hampshire in General Court convened, in accordance with Article V of the United States Constitution, hereby apply to Congress for the calling of a constitutional convention for the purpose of amending the Constitution to make adequate provision for federal-state revenue sharing; be it further

RESOLVED, that signed copies of this resolution be certified by the Secretary of State and sent to the President of the United States Senate and the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives.

Arthur Tufts
President of the Senate

Marshall Collins
Speaker of the
House of Representatives

July 15th 1969

Concord, New Hampshire

I Robert L. Stark, Secretary of State of the State of New Hampshire, do hereby certify that the above Concurrent Resolution was passed by the General Court of the State of New Hampshire on June 27th nineteen hundred and sixty-nine.

Robert L. Stark
Secretary of State

