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To: The Attendees of New Jersey Science and Engineering Festival

Dear Friends:

I am pleased to extend greetings and best wishes to the participants, organizers and attendees of the New Jersey Science and Engineering Festival.

This festival, hosted by Clifton High School and Essex County Airport, offers an outstanding opportunity for young people to experience the many scientific innovations being pioneered in our State. As the workplace of legendary thinkers such as Thomas Edison and Albert Einstein, New Jersey has a rich history of scientific and technological discovery. This tradition continues today as countless biotechnology, life science, high technology and engineering businesses call our State home. This festival is an excellent forum to showcase the exciting work taking place within our borders.

As technology continues to advance at a rapid pace, it is important that our young people are equipped with the skills and knowledge necessary to keep our State and Nation at the forefront of innovation. The fascinating exhibits, attractions and presentations at the New Jersey Science and Engineering Festival will encourage young people to pursue careers in these vital sectors.

Best wishes for a memorable and enjoyable festival.

Sincerely,

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

Chris Christie  
Governor