

By His Excellency Ned Lamont, Governor: an

Official Statement

WHEREAS, the UConn Huskies women's basketball team has once again instilled pride and excitement into the hearts and minds of loyal fans throughout Connecticut – as they have advanced to the NCAA Final Four tournament; and

MEREAS, the UConn Huskies are the most successful and winningest women's basketball program in the entire United States – taking part in every single NCAA tournament since 1989, victorious in a grand total of 11 NCAA Division I National Championships, and with 53 conference titles won in aggregate; and

WHEREAS, with Hall of Fame Coach Geno Auriemma in his 37th season – and Associate Head Coach Chris Dailey in her 36th season – the formidable duo hope to lead the prevailing UConn Huskies women's basketball team to bringing a twelfth NCAA Championship trophy back to Connecticut; and

WHEREAS, in recognition and in honor of the team's semi-final game against the Stanford Cardinal this Friday, April 1st at 9:30pm, I ask that all Connecticut residents show their Husky pride and wish our team well – by wearing UConn Huskies gear or blue and white, and by displaying UConn flags and signs; now

HEREFORE, I, Ned Lamont, Governor of the State of Connecticut, do hereby officially proclaim Friday, April 1st through Sunday, April 3rd, 2022 as

HUSKY WEEKEND

in the State of Connecticut.



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