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April 19, 2022

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council State House Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 4:8, authorize the Department of Safety, Office of Highway Safety, to accept the donation of an educational seat belt safety public service announcement (PSA) from Evan Slater Racing, LLC valued at \$500.00. Effective upon Governor and Council approval.

EXPLANATION

The Office of Highway Safety received a donation of an educational seat belt safety PSA created by Evan Slater Racing, LLC. This PSA is meant to educate New Hampshire drivers, especially teens and young adults, on the importance of wearing their seat belt behind the wheel of a car. Evan Slater is a young, professional NH-based race car driver and believes very strongly in the importance of seat belt safety. Slater is a powerful spokesperson for such an important message.

Evan Slater Racing, LLC has expressed interest in creating new and improved educational PSAs regarding seat belt safety and other highway safety related topics for the Office of Highway Safety in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert L. Quinn

Commissioner of Safety

March 31, 2022

Captain Christopher Vetter Department of Safety Office of Highway Safety 33 Hazen Dr, Room 208 Concord, NH 03305

Dear Captain Vetter,

On behalf of Evan, and Evan Slater Racing LLC, we would be glad to donate the seatbelt safety PSA that we helped produce. Evan was asked to be a subject of the Seatbelt Safety Video by Assistant Commissioner Eddie Edwards, and since Evan believes very strongly in the importance of seatbelt safety as it relates to both car control and occupant safety, we were happy to oblige. Unfortunately, with Evan's hectic race schedule, it became difficult to use the State of NH's chosen vendor for production, and as we have a racing friend who owns a production company, we were happy to take the production into our own hands. The estimated total value of production was \$500.00. Feel free to contact us for any new and improved versions of this video or any other related video, we would be happy to help!

Thanks!

Evan Slater Racing, LLC.