

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

EMPLOYEE LEARNING WEEK

WHEREAS: A capable, educated workforce is essential to Georgia's economic

vitality, driving growth, and innovation; and

WHEREAS: Businesses and organizations that are committed to creating a highly

skilled workforce recognize the competitive advantage of employee education as skilled employees improve performance and productivity;

and

WHEREAS: Continued employee learning develops individual and organizational

knowledge and expertise; and

WHEREAS: Organizations such as the American Society of Training & Development

(ASTD), the world's largest association dedicated to employee training and development, are committed to improving workforce efficiency. The ASTD Greater Atlanta Chapter has more than 1,000 member

organizations from Savannah to North Georgia; and

WHEREAS: Employee Learning Week provides an opportunity to recognize these

organizations, their members, and other groups that promote

workplace learning; now

THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim

December 7–11, 2015, as EMPLOYEE LEARNING WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 10th day of November in

the year of our Lord two thousand fifteen.

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

CHIFF OF STAF