



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

GEORGIA INJURED WORKERS WEEK

WHEREAS: Georgia's workforce is the one of the state's most important assets for ensuring a thriving economy and statewide prosperity; and

WHEREAS: Many workers in Georgia may expose themselves to heightened risks of all manners of injury in the course of their occupations. Each day, a significant number of Georgia's workers experience serious injuries or death while performing their required job duties; and

WHEREAS: Georgia's injured workers and their families face significant medical and financial challenges as they strive to recover from job-related injuries; and

WHEREAS: Injured workers are entitled to reasonable and related medical care in an expeditious manner in order to return to suitable and productive employment; and

WHEREAS: Georgia's injured workers have made immense personal sacrifices to benefit their fellow citizens through the course of their employment, and we join in recognizing injured workers; now

THEREFORE: I, NATHAN DEAL, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim September 3-9, 2017, as GEORGIA INJURED WORKERS WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 11th day of July in the year of our Lord two thousand seventeen.



Nathan Deal

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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