

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF  
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS  
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR  
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed. With the exception of egregious errors, content (including spelling, grammar, and punctuation) of these orders has been reproduced as submitted.

**\* RESPIRATORY CARE WEEK \***

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**WHEREAS**, lung diseases, known collectively as chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), are the fourth leading cause of death in the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, respiratory care assists in diagnosing diseases of the lungs through pulmonary function studies and blood gas analysis and specializes in the treatment of emphysema, asthma, chronic bronchitis, cystic fibrosis, and the symptoms of influenza; and

**WHEREAS**, respiratory care incorporates the use of supplemental oxygen, respiratory medications, pulmonary hygiene, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation and life-support systems; and

**WHEREAS**, during Respiratory Care Week, respiratory therapists, pulmonologists, health care advocates, and other professionals from around the world will be raising awareness of respiratory health issues through special screenings and other activities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 25-30, 2009 as

**\* RESPIRATORY CARE WEEK \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-third day of October in the year Two Thousand and Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

**ATTEST:**  
**Ken Bennett**  
**Secretary of State**