

Governor's Executive Orders/Proclamations

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.

*** PARALEGAL DAY ***

[M10-353]

WHEREAS, it is estimated that there are approximately 224,000 paralegals employed in the paralegal profession nationwide, with an estimated 3,400 paralegals employed in the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, paralegals have contributed significantly to legal communities throughout Arizona; and

WHEREAS, paralegals have successfully lowered the cost of legal services provided to law firm clients by their participation in the cases taken on by their employing law firms; and

WHEREAS, legal services organizations are better able to deliver legal services to populations most in need through the use of paralegals; and

WHEREAS, the cost of legal services provided by state government is reduced through the effective use of paralegals; and

WHEREAS, paralegals continue to establish their vital role of expanding the range of access to legal services available to the people of this State; and

WHEREAS, excellence, dedication, and integrity are the unmistakable characteristics of paralegals and the services they provide to their attorney-employers; and

WHEREAS, in cooperation with the Maricopa County Bar Association's Paralegal Division, dedicated to the advancement and continued education of paralegals throughout the State of Arizona, a day shall be set aside to honor those who practice this distinguished profession.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim October 1, 2010 as

*** PARALEGAL DAY ***

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 thirty-first day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH ***

[M10-343]

WHEREAS, ovarian cancer, the deadliest of all gynecologic cancers, is the fifth leading cause of cancer deaths among women in the United States, and the mortality rate for ovarian cancer has not significantly decreased over the past 40 years; and

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WHEREAS, approximately 21,880 women will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer in the United States this year. Of those women diagnosed, an estimated 13,850 will die from ovarian cancer; and

WHEREAS, all women are at risk for ovarian cancer, the most important risk factor is a strong family history of breast or ovarian cancer; and

WHEREAS, due to the lack of reliable early detection tests, the majority of cases of ovarian cancer are detected at an advanced stage and only 7% of cases are diagnosed at an early stage, making the overall 5-year survival rate 46% percent; and

WHEREAS, the symptoms of ovarian cancer often include bloating, pelvic or abdominal pain, difficulty eating or feeling full quickly, urinary symptoms and several other symptoms that are easily confused with other diseases; and

WHEREAS, increased awareness of the symptoms and risk factors of ovarian cancer by women and health care providers across Arizona can enhance the chances of early detection, early diagnosis and survival from this disease; and

WHEREAS, ovarian cancer research can help to develop reliable diagnostics, better therapies, and prevention strategies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim the month of September 2010 as

*** OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH ***

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 thirty-first day of August in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** FALL PREVENTION DAY ***

[M10-361]

WHEREAS, unintentional falls are a public health problem that impact the lives of thousands of Arizona residents each year; and

WHEREAS, fall-related injuries in seniors continue to be on the rise with more than one-third of adults 65 and older who fall each year in the United States; and

WHEREAS, falls accounted for 65 percent of unintentional injury deaths among older adult residents of Arizona in 2008; and

WHEREAS, falls are the most common cause of nonfatal injuries and hospital admissions for trauma; and

WHEREAS, falling and the fear of falling can lead to depression, loss of mobility and loss of functional independence; and

WHEREAS, many falls can be prevented; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Arizona Fall Prevention Coalition is to reduce the risk of falls by older Arizonans through education, awareness, and public outreach focused on three essentials of fall prevention: medication management, physical activity, and home and environment modification.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 22, 2010 as

*** FALL PREVENTION DAY ***

and urge all citizens to help reduce the number of injuries associated with falls by joining the Coalition in promoting fall prevention awareness and education.

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 third day of September in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY ***

[M10-360]

WHEREAS, throughout American history members of America's armed forces have made uncommon sacrifices as Prisoners of War (POW), serving their country under conditions of extreme hardship, while remaining steadfast even when their treatment violated fundamental standards of morality and international codes of conduct; and

WHEREAS, Americans held as POW and Americans Missing in Action (MIA) have earned our respect for their courage and devotion to duty; and

WHEREAS, we salute our POW who, in the act of serving our Nation, relinquished their freedom to protect the liberty we enjoy; and

WHEREAS, we also remember those still considered MIA, and the pain and suffering of war that continues for their families and friends and for all of us; and

WHEREAS, because we must not neglect to honor these men and women who have served their country so faithfully, the United States Congress established the third Friday in the month of September as America's Annual National POW/MIA Recognition Day.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim September 17, 2010 as

*** POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY ***

and call upon all Arizonans to join with other Americans across the Nation in honoring all present and former American Prisoners of War, along with those who are still Missing in Action and the families of our POWs and those MIA; and I call upon state and local officials, active military, national guard and reserves, veterans, historians, educators, and private organizations to observe this day by flying the POW/MIA Flag (the Flag of Hope), and by conducting appropriate ceremonies or activities in honor of these heroes.

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 third day of September in the year Two Thousand Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State