

**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.

**\* ARIZONA PROJECT MANAGEMENT WEEK \***

[M13-239]

**WHEREAS**, project managers in Arizona have made a significant contribution to our quality of life, enhanced the quality of services within our communities, provided leadership during times of crisis, and helped support economic growth; and

**WHEREAS**, these dedicated professionals and their teams exemplify the importance of leadership, cooperation, innovation, initiation, and perseverance; and

**WHEREAS**, project management is a distinct discipline that encompasses a broad range of projects in the private and public sectors: new technology implementations; new home and school builds; efficient transportation systems construction; athletic and entertainment facilities development; and centers of commerce improvements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Phoenix and Tucson chapters of the Project Management Institute and other professional societies across our nation recognize the contributions project managers have made across the State of Arizona in the world of government, business, and community service.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 4 – 10, 2013 as

**\* ARIZONA PROJECT MANAGEMENT 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  
GOVERNOR**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth.

**ATTEST:  
Ken Bennett  
Secretary of State**

**\* ELEVATOR ESCALATOR SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK \***

[M13-240]

**WHEREAS**, the elevator industry greatly contributes to the quality of life for the citizens of Arizona; and

**WHEREAS**, November 10 - 16, 2013 has been declared National Elevator Escalator Safety Awareness Week; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of this week is to increase public awareness in the safe and proper use of elevators, escalators and moving walkways, helping reduce avoidable accidents with the goal of reducing preventable accidents; and

**WHEREAS**, this endeavor is worthy of support and cooperation to benefit citizens, the general public and the short range vertical transportation industry.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 10 - 16, 2013 as

**\* ELEVATOR ESCALATOR SAFETY AWARENESS WEEK \***

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**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 eighth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth.

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

**\* PARALEGAL DAY \***

[M13-241]

**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 the State of 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**, 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 September 27, 2013 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 sixth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth.

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

**\* YOUTH SPORTS WEEK \***

[M13-242]

**WHEREAS**, student athletes ages 12-18 need to be encouraged to stay in school, lead healthy lifestyles, and be financially responsible; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona has a coalition of private, non-profit, academic, and governmental institutions who believe that today's student athletes are tomorrow's community leaders; and

**WHEREAS**, adults, organizations, and students involved in sports, who are making significant contributions to community service should be recognized; and

**WHEREAS**, it is important to provide educational workshops on careers, scholarships, healthy lifestyles, and personal financial management, as well as sports clinics, to youth from throughout Arizona; and

**WHEREAS**, 2013 marks the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Linking Sports & Communities, a non-profit organization, who has been serving communities in Arizona through workshops and sports clinics and partners with other non-profit organizations to encourage adult volunteerism to benefit youth in Arizona.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 1 – 8, 2013 as

**\* YOUTH SPORTS 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 sixth day of August in the year Two Thousand and Thirteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth.

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

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2012-03**

**State Regulatory Review, Moratorium and Streamlining To Promote Job Creation and Retention**

*Editor's Note: This Executive Order is being reproduced in each issue of the Administrative Register until its expiration on December 31, 2014, as a notice to the public regarding state agencies' rulemaking activities.*

[M12-226]

**WHEREAS**, my first official action as Governor was to institute a regulatory rule making review and moratorium process ("regulatory review and moratorium") in order to prevent any additional burdens on Arizona's private sector employers and political subdivisions; and

**WHEREAS**, this rule making review and moratorium process has continued by session law or executive order to this day; and

**WHEREAS**, a predictable regulatory climate in this State will promote job creation and retention; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona's efforts are being rewarded, such as being ranked as one of the top ten best states for business in a survey of chief executive officers this year, the eighth best for job growth in the last year, and the top state for innovators starting new business; and

**WHEREAS**, last January, I determined that State agencies needed to quicken the pace on streamlining existing rules and reducing wasted time in regulatory processes to increase Arizona's economic competitiveness and job creation, while still protecting public health, safety and the environment; and

**WHEREAS**, the 50th Legislature passed and I signed into law House Bill 2744 (2012 Arizona Laws, Chapter 352) which permits a state agency to conduct expedited rulemaking to streamline existing rules; and

**WHEREAS**, this expedited rulemaking authority will be used, in part, by State agencies to implement the "lean" waste reduction initiative I announced last January to increase the efficiency and service quality of State agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, I encourage the general public and regulated community to bring forward ideas to State agencies and the Governor's Regulatory Review Council on what rules need to be streamlined and how that can be best achieved while still protecting public health, safety and the environment; and

**WHEREAS**, the current regulatory review and moratorium expires on June 30, 2012.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I**, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the

*Arizona Administrative Register / Secretary of State*  
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Constitution and laws of this State hereby declare the following:

1. A state agency, subject to this Order pursuant to Paragraph 4, shall not conduct any rule making except as permitted by this Order. The objective of this Order is to eliminate any unnecessary increased monetary or regulatory costs on employers, persons, individuals, other state agencies, or political subdivisions of this State. This prohibition includes any informal rule making prior to the commencement of the formal rule making process.
2. Paragraph 1 does not apply to state agency rule making for any one or more of the following reasons:
  - a. To fulfill an objective related to job creation in this State.
  - b. To lessen or ease a regulatory burden while achieving the same regulatory objective.
  - c. To prevent a significant threat to the public health, peace or safety.
  - d. To avoid a violation of a court order or federal law that would result in sanctions by a court or federal government against an agency for failure to conduct the rulemaking action.
  - e. To comply with a federal statutory or regulatory requirement or a state statutory requirement if the applicable statute or regulation contains a date certain for compliance on or before December 31, 2014 or is necessary under subparagraph (c) of this paragraph.
  - f. To fulfill an obligation related to fees or any other action necessary to implement the state budget that is certified by the Governor's Office of Strategic Planning and Budgeting.
  - g. To promulgate a rule or other item that is exempt from Title 41, Chapter 6, Arizona Revised Statutes, pursuant to section 41-1005, Arizona Revised Statutes.
  - h. To address matters pertaining to the control, mitigation or eradication of waste, fraud or abuse within a state agency or wasteful, fraudulent or abusive activities perpetrated against a state agency.
3. A state agency, subject to this Order pursuant to Paragraph 4, shall not conduct any informal or formal rule making pursuant to Paragraph 2 or otherwise without the prior written approval of the Office of the Governor.
4. This order applies to all state agencies, except for: (a) any state agency that is headed by a single elected state official, (b) the Corporation Commission, or (c) any state agency whose agency head is not appointed by the Governor.
5. All state officials and state agencies that are not subject to this Order pursuant to Paragraph 4 are encouraged to participate voluntarily within the context of their own rule making process.
6. State agencies may continue a rule making that was authorized by the Office of the Governor on or after January 22, 2009. All state agencies, subject to this Order pursuant to Paragraph 4, shall report to the office of the Governor by July 31, 2012 all pending and anticipated rule making requests. Beginning fiscal year 2013 all state agencies shall submit to the Office of the Governor by the end of each fiscal year an annual report of all pending and anticipated rule making to Office of the Governor.
7. This Order does not confer any legal rights upon any persons and shall not be used as a basis for legal challenges to rules, approvals, permits, licenses or other actions or to any inaction of a state agency.
8. For the purposes of this executive order, "person," "rule" and "rule making" have the same meanings prescribed in section 41-1001, Arizona Revised Statutes.
9. This Executive Order expires on December 31, 2014.

**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, Arizona this 26th day of June in the year Two Thousand Twelve and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth.

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