

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.

*** JUDGE LEARNED HAND AWARDS DAY ***

[M10-96]

WHEREAS, the American Jewish Committee (AJC) has for nearly 100 years fought for the rights and freedom of people worldwide and has fostered the values of pluralism and democracy in our State; and

WHEREAS, the AJC established an award for distinguished members of the bar for their adherence to the values and standards of excellence associated with Judge Learned Hand, who served from 1924 to 1951 in the U.S. Court of Appeals Second Circuit; and

WHEREAS, there are members of our Arizona legal community who exemplify the high principles for which Judge Learned Hand was renowned; and

WHEREAS, each spring the American Jewish Committee has seen fit to honor three of these special individuals with tribute awards; and

WHEREAS, Debra Hill of Osborn Maledon PA, has been awarded the Community Service Award in recognition of her years of dedication and commitment to the values of community service and for demonstrating sustained contributions to the advancement of equality and democratic principles; and

WHEREAS, E.G. "Ted" Noyes, Jr. has been awarded the Public Service Award in recognition of over three decades of public service, he has exemplified all the characteristics of what a good lawyer and judge should be – thoughtful, deliberate, tenacious and honest; and

WHEREAS, Keri Lazarus Silvyn of Lewis Roca, LLP, has been awarded the Emerging Leadership Award in recognition of her involvement and commitment to a number of community organizations and for her work to establish "Imagine Greater Tucson", a group of civic leaders tasked with developing a growth plan for the City of Tucson.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim March 16, 2010 as

*** JUDGE LEARNED HAND AWARDS 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 twelfth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH ***

[M10-108]

WHEREAS, every child deserves to grow up in a safe and nurturing environment, free of the harmful effects of abuse and neglect; and

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WHEREAS, on average, one child is abused or neglected every hour in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, in fiscal year 2009, Arizona Child Protective Services received over 33,000 reports involving the alleged maltreatment of approximately 49,000 children; and

WHEREAS, the impact of child abuse and neglect extends far beyond its immediate, noticeable effects. The experience of abuse and neglect increases the likelihood of long-term physical and mental health problems, alcohol and substance abuse, continued family violence and criminal behavior; and

WHEREAS, the physical, psychological, and behavioral consequences of child abuse and neglect affect communities as a whole. Increased demand on physical and mental health care systems, law enforcement, judicial and public social services and community-based organizations; and

WHEREAS, a strong, well-informed family is essential in preventing child abuse. Ensuring each family has the support and information to create an environment that enables children to thrive is a shared effort; and

WHEREAS, child abuse prevention requires partnerships among federal, state, and local governments, faith-based and community-based organizations, schools, law enforcement, social service agencies, and families; and

WHEREAS, children are the greatest representation of our future. All citizens have a stake in building healthy families and communities for all of Arizona's children.

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

*** CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH ***

and call upon the citizens of Arizona to participate in efforts to prevent child abuse, and renew their commitment to strengthening the communities in which we live.

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 fifteenth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** GOLDEN RULE DAY ***

[M10-109]

WHEREAS, the State of Arizona strongly believes in the teaching of the Golden Rule; and

WHEREAS, for thousands of years, the Golden Rule, which says "treat others the way you want to be treated," has been affirmed in many religions, traditions, indigenous cultures and secular philosophies as a fundamental principle of life and the foundation upon which the base of a global ethic is found; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Rule is the best tool to educate people about respect and mutual esteem in order to achieve peaceful coexistence and solidarity among members of different ethnic groups, cultures and religions; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Rule plays a major role in promoting the culture of dialogue so that understanding and trust may develop among individuals and people as these are the conditions of authentic peace; and

WHEREAS, the Golden Rule message is simple, universal and powerful and it is the most prevalent and universal moral principle in human history.

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim April 5, 2010 as

*** GOLDEN RULE 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 fifteenth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

**ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State**

*** IMMUNODEFICIENCY AWARENESS MONTH ***

[M10-111]

WHEREAS, immunodeficiency diseases are disorders in which part of the body's immune system is missing or does not function properly; and

WHEREAS, may affect as many as 250,000 people in the United States and are caused by intrinsic or genetic defects in the immune system, many of which require chronic replacement therapy consisting of immune globulin administration, gamma interferon, antibiotic therapy, bone marrow/stem cell transplantation, or gene therapy to protect individuals from frequent life-threatening infections and debilitating illnesses; and

WHEREAS, there is typically more than a nine-year delay from the onset of symptoms to diagnosis resulting in permanent functional impairments; and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization recognizes more than 150 primary immunodeficiency diseases; and

WHEREAS, the public and the medical community know little about primary immunodeficiency diseases; and

WHEREAS, the Immune Deficiency Foundation is one of many organizations that provides advocacy, education and research to improve the diagnosis and treatment of primary immunodeficiency diseases; and

WHEREAS, the education of healthcare professionals is necessary to reduce delays in diagnosis; and

WHEREAS, public support is needed to understand primary immunodeficiency diseases, find cures and provide access to all available life-saving therapies.

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

*** IMMUNODEFICIENCY 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 fifteenth day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

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*** CALLING AN EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA ***

[M10-121]

By the power vested in me by the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 3, and Article V, Section 4, respectively, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, call the 49th Legislature to meet in an eighth special session at the Capitol on the 29th Day of March 2010, at 1:45 p.m.

The subjects to be considered at the Special Session shall be:

1. Legislation reaffirming Arizona's sovereign authority to regulate health care and authorizing the Governor to appear on behalf of the State in federal court to challenge unconstitutional actions by the federal government that infringe on Arizona's sovereignty guaranteed under the 10th Amendment of the U.S. Constitution.
2. A message to the United States Congress urging Congress to fully pay for mandatory federal entitlement expansions.

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 26th day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State

*** AMENDING EIGHTH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE FORTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE
OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA ***

[M10-125]

By the power vested in me by the Arizona Constitution, Article IV, Part 2, Section 3, and Article V, Section 4, respectively, I, Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona, call the 49th Legislature to meet in an eighth special session at the Capitol on the 29th Day of March 2010, at 1:45 p.m.

The subjects to be considered at the Special Session shall be:

1. Legislation reaffirming Arizona's sovereign authority to regulate health care and authorizing the Governor and the Arizona Legislature to appear on behalf of the State in federal court to challenge unconstitutional actions by the federal government that infringe on Arizona's sovereignty guaranteed under the 10th Amendment of the U.S. Constitution.
2. A message to the United States Congress urging Congress to fully pay for mandatory federal entitlement expansions.

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 29th day of March in the year Two Thousand and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth.

ATTEST:
Ken Bennett
Secretary of State