



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT WEEK

- WHEREAS:** As medical technology advances, healthcare facilities must keep pace by providing quality, well-trained professionals capable of understanding the complexity of medical equipment operation and applications; and
- WHEREAS:** The complexity of medical technology today and in the future makes it essential that those individuals responsible for the care, safety, and accuracy of this equipment are recognized as an invaluable resource to the healthcare industry; and
- WHEREAS:** Biomedical equipment technicians, clinical engineers, and other medical technology professionals uniquely serve patients, the medical community, and new technology development to improve the quality of today's healthcare; and
- WHEREAS:** These professionals research, recommend, install, inspect, and repair medical devices and other complicated medical systems, as well as advise and train others concerning the safe and effective use of medical devices, thereby controlling healthcare costs and improving patient safety; and
- WHEREAS:** The Georgia Biomedical Instrumentation Society is a unique alliance of members united by a common goal to increase the understanding and beneficial use of healthcare instrumentation. These individuals seek to advance the interests of biomedical equipment technicians, clinical engineers, and other medical technology professionals; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim May 19-25, 2019, as HEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 6th day of May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

Trinity K. Fleming

CHIEF OF STAFF