

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

PAYROLL WEEK

WHEREAS:	Payroll professionals support the American system by paying wages, reporting worker earnings, and withholding federal employment taxes; and
WHEREAS:	Payroll professionals in the State of Georgia play a key role in maintaining the economic health of our state, carrying out tasks such as paying into the unemployment insurance system, providing information for child support enforcement, and carrying out tax withholding, reporting, and depositing; and
WHEREAS:	Payroll departments collectively spend more than \$2.2 trillion annually, complying with a myriad of federal and state wage and tax laws; and
WHEREAS:	Payroll professionals play an increasingly important role in ensuring the economic security of American families by helping to identify noncustodial parents and making sure they comply with their child support mandates; and
WHEREAS:	Payroll professionals have become increasingly proactive in educating both the business community and the public at large about the payroll tax withholding systems; and
WHEREAS:	Payroll professionals meet regularly with federal and state tax officials to discuss both improving compliance with government procedures and how compliance can be achieved at a lower cost to both government and business; now
THEREFORE:	I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim September 2-6, 2019 as PAYROLL WEEK in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 14th day of August in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

