

STATE OF TENNESSEE

PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, Manufacturing is a top driver of Tennessee's economy and manufacturers in Tennessee account for more than \$41 billion in total economic output; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee manufacturers employ more than 300,000 of our family, friends and neighbors; and

WHEREAS, The Tennessee Chamber of Commerce & Industry is celebrating more than 100 years of contributions toward prosperity in the Volunteer state; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Manufacturers, the Tennessee Chamber, and the Tennessee Manufacturers Association has designated October 4 as the kick-off day for a season of celebration in support of the manufacturing community and of public education about the opportunities in the industry;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim October 4, 2013 as Tennessee Manufacturing Day

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in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this twenty-fifth day of September, 2013.

Governor

Secretary of State