



STATE OF TENNESSEE  
**PROCLAMATION**  
BY THE GOVERNOR

**WHEREAS**, the enrolled agent profession dates back to 1884 when, after questionable claims had been presented for Civil War losses, Congress acted to regulate persons who represented citizens in their dealings with the U.S. Treasury Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the enrolled agent has been an important asset to both the Tennessee Taxpayers and to the Tennessee Department of Revenue; and

**WHEREAS**, enrolled agents assist taxpayers with issues from the annual compliance filing of their tax return to more complex issues of Audit, Liens, Levy, Appeals and Collections; and

**WHEREAS**, the Tennessee Society of Enrolled Agents seeks to promote the educational and collaboration needs of the enrolled agent community;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim the week of January 29 - February 2, 2018 as

*Enrolled Agent Week*

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 seventeenth day of January, 2018.



*Bill Haslam*

Governor

*Lucretia Hargett*

Secretary of State