

STATE OF TENNESSEE

PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee recognizes the contributions of veteran owned businesses to the economy of the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, the State of Tennessee understands the impact of the more than 1,000 veteran owned businesses across the state in growing our economy;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Haslam, Governor of the State of Tennessee do hereby proclaim January 28 - February 1, 2013, as

VETERAN OWNED BUSINESS 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 18th day of September, 2012.

Governor

Secretary of State