



# *Proclamation*

## *By the Governor of Alabama*

*WHEREAS, in 2018, the state of Alabama reported 28 occupational-related fatalities; and*

*WHEREAS, in 2018, the state of Alabama reported thousands of injuries in the workplace, resulting in worker's compensation and medical payments of more than 730 million; and*

*WHEREAS, Alabama employers and employees in the public sector, private industries and businesses recognize the need to safeguard from injuries in the workplace; and*

*WHEREAS, a safe and healthy workplace ensures the highest work environment possible; and*

*WHEREAS, this endeavor is worthy of our support and cooperation to reduce the toll of workplace injuries and deaths; and*

*WHEREAS, labor and industry within the state of Alabama seek to work together to promote workplace safety;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim August 26<sup>th</sup> through August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019, as*

# *Safety in the Workplace Week*

*in the state of Alabama.*



*Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August 2019.*

*Kay Ivey*

*Kay Ivey, Governor*