



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, the Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo is the official Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo in the State of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, 260 individuals participated in the first Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo held in 1929, and

WHEREAS, since that time, the Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo has grown in popularity and now attracts more than 3,000 fisherman and women and more than 60,000 spectators each year; and

WHEREAS, the Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo was named by the Guinness Book of World Records as the world's largest fishing tournament in 2011; and

WHEREAS, this year's 85th Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo will be held July 20th through July 22nd, 2018; and

WHEREAS, since 1929, the Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo has stimulated the local economy and helped to bring Alabama into the national spotlight;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim July 20th through July 22nd, 2018, as

Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo

Days

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 13th day of April 2018.

Kay Ivey

Kay Ivey, Governor