

John Bel Edwards
GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS,

workplaces welcoming of the talents of all people, including people with disabilities, are a critical part of our efforts to build an inclusive community and strong economy; and

WHEREAS,

in this spirit, the State of Louisiana recognizes National Disability Employment Awareness Month in October to raise awareness about disability employment issues and celebrate the many and varied contributions of people with disabilities; and

WHEREAS,

activities during this month will reinforce the value and talent people with disabilities add to our workplaces and communities; and

WHEREAS,

the State of Louisiana affirms its commitment to an inclusive community; and

NOW, THEREFORE,

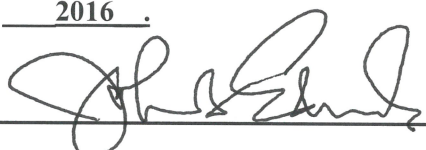
I, John Bel Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana, do hereby proclaim October 2016 as

DISABILITY EMPLOYMENT AWARENESS MONTH
in the State of Louisiana.



*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the
State of Louisiana, at the Capitol, in the City of
Baton Rouge, on this 1st day of October*

A.D., 2016

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Governor of Louisiana*