

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, logistics is the detailed process of managing the flow of raw materials and finished products from the point of origin, between companies, or to a consumer; and

WHEREAS, logistics plays a vital role in South Carolina's thriving economy and in the ability of our companies to operate efficiently and successfully; and

WHEREAS, according to a study released by the South Carolina Council on Competitiveness in 2017, the logistics industry in the Palmetto State has a \$32.9 billion impact on our economy with over 600 logistics companies operating in the state and more than 113,000 jobs in the logistics industry cluster; and

WHEREAS, from ground, rail, air, and sea transportation carriers to packaging, distribution, and warehouse providers, the South Carolina logistics industry is key to the recruitment, retention, and growth of businesses in the Palmetto State.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Henry McMaster, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim June 28, 2019, as

LOGISTICS DAY

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize the dedicated professionals in the logistics industry who help ensure safe, reliable, and affordable transportation, packaging, and storage services to our nation's critical supply chains.



HENRY McMASTER
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA