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WHEREAS; the American Payroll Association and its more than 20,000 members have launched a nationwide public awareness campaign that pays tribute to the more than 150 million people who work in the United States and the payroll professionals who support the American system by paying wages, reporting worker earnings, and withholding federal employment taxes; and

WHEREAS; payroll professionals in Wisconsin play a key role in maintaining the economic health of the state, carrying out such diverse tasks as paying into the unemployment insurance system, providing information for child support enforcement, and carrying out tax withholding, reporting, and depositing; and

WHEREAS; payroll departments collectively spend more than \$2.4 trillion annually complying with federal and state wage and tax laws; and

WHEREAS; payroll professionals have become increasingly proactive in educating both the business community and the public at large about the payroll tax withholding systems; and

WHEREAS; payroll professionals meet regularly with federal and state tax officials to discuss both improving compliance with government procedures and how compliance can be achieved at less cost to both government and businesses;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim September 2 – 6, 2019, as

NATIONAL PAYROLL WEEK

throughout the Statement and I commend this observance to all our citizens.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 13th day of August 2019.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLE TE Secretary of State