PROCLAMATION OF THE GOVERNOR
OF PUERTO RICO

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National Apprenticeship Week

WHEREAS: The Government of Puerto Rico joins the commemoration of the “National Apprenticeship Week” to reaffirm the public policy that supports integral efforts and initiatives for workforce training programs to provide new opportunities for employment and improvement of the standard of living of our People;

WHEREAS: The National Apprenticeship Week is a national celebration that offers leaders in business, labor, education and other partners a chance to demonstrate their support for apprenticeship, emphasizing the benefits of apprenticeship in preparing a highly-skilled workforce that meets the needs of employers of diverse sectors;

WHEREAS: The Puerto Rico Department of Economic Development and Commerce, through its Labor Development Program, offers a variety of incentives and activities directed towards the development of skilled workers, the increase of educational and entrepreneurial opportunities, jobs creation and the enhancement of the quality of life on the Island;

THEREFORE: I, LUIS G. RIVERA MARÍN, Acting Governor of Puerto Rico, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of Puerto Rico do hereby proclaim November 12 through 18, 2018, NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK. In so doing, I exhort business, industry, labor, and government leaders, to support apprenticeship programs and raise awareness regarding their contributions to the socioeconomic development in Puerto Rico.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I sign the foregoing and cause to be affixed on it, the Great Seal of the Government of Puerto Rico, in the City of San Juan, on this 5th day of November, 2018.

Promulgated according to the Law, today, November 5, 2018.

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