



RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

PARALEGALS WEEK

WHEREAS, paralegals support attorneys in the provision of legal services to clients; and

WHEREAS, paralegals work to maintain integrity and a high degree of competence throughout the legal profession, while striving for professional enhancement through education; and

WHEREAS, the assistance of paralegals reduces the cost of providing legal services; and

WHEREAS, paralegals are highly educated, trained, and experienced professionals with expertise in case research, correspondence writing, interviewing clients and witnesses, and other areas of law practice;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Rick Scott, Governor of the State of Florida, do hereby extend greetings and best wishes to all observing May 27 – June 1, 2013, as *Paralegals Week*.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Florida to be affixed at Tallahassee, the Capital, this 18th day of April, in the year two thousand thirteen.

A blue ink signature of Rick Scott, written in a cursive style.

Governor