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OKLAHOMA SECRETARY OF STATE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA



EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Proclamation

Whereas, an estimated 2,300 men in the United States are diagnosed with breast cancer each year; and

Whereas, there is strong evidence that exposure to ionizing radiation is associated with an increased risk of developing male breast cancer; and

Whereas, the public commonly thinks of breast cancer as a disease affecting only women, a misconception that can delay diagnosis and treatment in men; and

Whereas, early detection of male breast cancer is critical, as men who are diagnosed in its earliest stages have an increased chance of successful treatment and survival; and

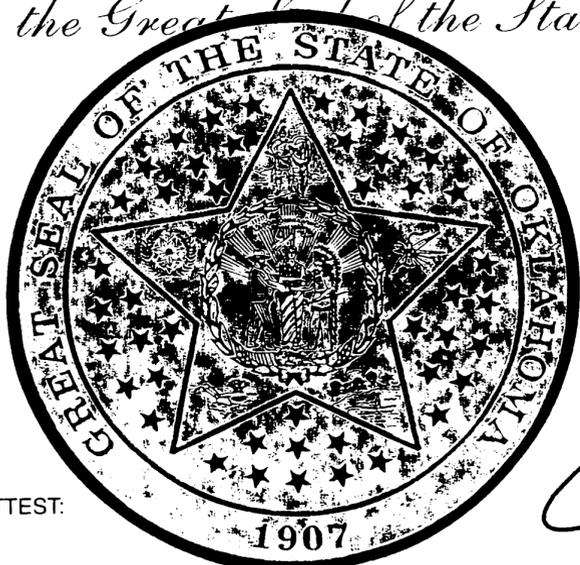
Whereas, in order to facilitate early diagnosis and prompt treatment, public education and awareness of the disease are necessary;

Now, therefore, I, Mary Fallin, Governor, do hereby proclaim the week of October 18, 2015, as

“Male Breast Cancer Awareness Week”

in the state of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.



Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this 24th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and fifteen, and of the State of Oklahoma in the one hundred and seventh year.

ATTEST:

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SECRETARY OF STATE

Mary Fallin
GOVERNOR

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