

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF  
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS  
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR  
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

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**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2005-27  
Establishing the Arizona State Quarter Commission**

[M05-342]

**WHEREAS**, the United States Mint has implemented the 50 State Quarters® Program (the "Program") in accordance with Public Law No. 105-124, to commemorate each of the 50 states in the order in which the states ratified the United States Constitution and joined the Union; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Public Law No. 105-124 Sec. 3 (b)(A), "Each of the 50 designs required under this subsection for quarter dollars shall be (i) selected by the Secretary after consultation with "(I) the Governor of the State being commemorated, or such other State officials or group as the State may designate for such purpose;" and

**WHEREAS**, under the Program, for the 10-year period 1999 through 2008, the United States will annually issue five quarter dollar coins with state designs displayed on the reverse side of the coins; and

**WHEREAS**, each state has an opportunity to develop and submit designs representative of the state, its history and geography; and

**WHEREAS**, quarter dollar coins have a commercial lifespan of at least 30 years and are collected for generations, providing an opportunity for wide distribution of an enduring symbol of Arizona; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona entered the Union as the 48th state on February 14, 1912, and the quarter dollar honoring the State of Arizona will be issued in 2008;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby order as follows:

1. The Arizona State Quarter Commission (the "Commission") is established to develop the narrative design concepts to be presented to the United States Mint, and make recommendations to the Governor regarding the final design of the Arizona State quarter in accordance with the Program.
2. The Commission shall be composed of the following members, each of whom shall serve without compensation and at the pleasure of the Governor.
  - The Director of the Arizona Historical Society, or designee
  - The State Treasurer, or designee
  - The Executive Director of the Arizona Arts Commission, or designee
  - The Executive Director of the Arizona Humanities Council, or designee
  - The State Superintendent of Public Instruction, or designee
  - The Director of the Arizona Department of Library, Archives and Public Records, or designee
  - Four (4) members of the Arizona Legislature: one each appointed by the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Minority Leader of the Senate and the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, each of whom shall serve as ex-officio members.
  - A member of the American Numismatic Association who resides in Arizona, or designee
  - Governor's Office designee
  - Public members appointed by the Governor, as follows:
    - a. High-school social studies teacher
    - b. School district arts coordinator

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- c. K-12 student
  - d. At least twelve (12) public citizens at large (determined by the Governor and representing the geographic, demographic and artistic diversity of the state)
3. One member of the Commission shall be selected by the Governor as the Commission Chair. If a member of the Commission is unable to serve, a replacement shall be selected consistent with the Commission appointment procedure set forth herein.
  4. The Commission shall adopt a procedure for the solicitation, review and consideration of all narrative design concepts received by the Commission. The Commission's procedures shall be consistent with the requirements of the 50 States Commemorative Coin Act. In addition, the Commission is to review and consider graphic designs that were submitted to the Governor's Office before the creation of the Commission. By September 2006, the Commission shall submit three (3) to five (5) narrative concepts for the Arizona quarter to the United States Mint.
  5. To the extent possible, the Commission shall include K-12 schools in the process of submitting design narratives, recommending design selections, and participating in the Program Lesson Plans prepared by the United States Mint.
  6. When the United States Mint provides the state with its final design renderings of the narrative concepts, the Commission shall provide an opportunity for public comment and make a record of public support or opposition for each design. The Commission shall consider such comments and recommend a final selection to the Governor. The Governor shall have final approval of the design submitted to the United States Mint.
  7. The Commission shall assist the United States Mint in the coordination of the public unveiling of Arizona's state quarter in 2008.
  8. The Commission and this Executive Order shall expire by their own terms when the Arizona state quarter is publicly unveiled in Arizona, unless extended by further order of the Governor.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

Done at the Capitol in Phoenix on this 5th day of October in the Year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**SECRETARY OF STATE**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 2005-28**  
**Increasing Access to Affordable Prescription Drugs**

[M05-343]

**WHEREAS**, there is a burgeoning number of people in Arizona that have no health care insurance, including prescription drug coverage; and

**WHEREAS**, retail prescription drug prices continue to increase at faster than the rate of inflation throughout Arizona and the nation; and

**WHEREAS**, the increase in prescription drug prices places a severe financial burden on uninsured persons, which causes them to go without needed medications; and

**WHEREAS**, even persons with prescription drug coverage can have restricted access to certain medications because of formularies used by many plans; and

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**WHEREAS**, the State's CoppeRx Card<sup>SM</sup> program, which arose as a result of Executive Order 2003-03, has saved seniors and medically disabled persons in Arizona over \$11.5 million; and

**WHEREAS**, it is possible to extend the savings offered under the CoppeRx Card<sup>SM</sup> to non-Medicare-eligible populations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System ("AHCCCS") is charged with administering a system of contracts for the provision of medical care coverage, including pharmaceuticals, to eligible persons as well as with reducing the costs and utilization of the AHCCCS system; and

**WHEREAS**, increasing access to affordable prescription drugs results in a healthier population that is better able to afford the costs of its own health care and therefore reduces long term utilization and costs of the AHCCCS program;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, hereby order and direct as follows:

1. AHCCCS is hereby directed to develop and implement a plan for offering a prescription drug discount card program, comparable to the CoppeRx Card<sup>SM</sup>, to all Arizonans, regardless of age or Medicare eligibility status
2. Any such discount card program approved by AHCCCS shall comply with all state laws, including procurement laws, and shall be implemented entirely through expenditures of funds from the private entity selected by AHCCCS to offer the discount card program.
3. AHCCCS shall have the right to license the CoppeRx Card<sup>SM</sup> name to the entity selected to offer the discount card program contemplated by this Order.
4. AHCCCS shall endeavor to have the discount card program contemplated by this Order in place and available for Arizonans by January 1, 2006.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

Done at the Capitol in Phoenix on this 11th day of October in the Year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**SECRETARY OF STATE**

**\* MEMORY SCREENING DAY \***

[M05-335]

**WHEREAS**, November is National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month and November 15, 2005 is National Memory Screening Day; and

**WHEREAS**, countless people in Arizona and millions of people in America are afflicted with memory loss and without intervention the numbers will continue to dramatically increase; and

**WHEREAS**, early memory screening is a valuable tool for healthy aging and should be available to anyone who wants or needs it; and

**WHEREAS**, the Alzheimer's Prevention Foundation International in partnership with Family Counseling Agency and the Armory Park Senior Center, will provide free memory screenings, education on memory loss prevention, and information

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about community resources at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Tucson Memory Screening Day;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim November 15, 2005 as

**\* MEMORY SCREENING DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\*REFLEX SYMPATHETIC DYSTROPHY SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH\***

[M05-336]

**WHEREAS**, Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy Syndrome (RSDS/RSD), a progressive multi-symptom, multi-system, neurological disorder, is a debilitating disease simultaneously involving nerves, muscles, blood vessels, skin, bones and tissue; and

**WHEREAS**, RSDS/RSD attacks the sympathetic nervous system, causing it to become confused, leading to a variety of symptoms that may result in devastating consequences and can develop after an injury, minor or major, and generally occurs in a limb; and

**WHEREAS**, if left untreated, or mistreated, RSDS/RSD begins to damage the surrounding tissues and can spread to other areas of the body and ultimately lead to total disability; and

**WHEREAS**, early diagnosis is crucial and correct aggressive treatment by qualified medical professional can lead to a positive result before RSDS/RSD progresses and treatment becomes increasingly difficult; and

**WHEREAS**, although an estimated five to seven million people in the United States are afflicted with RSDS/RSD, it is not well known by the public or many medical professionals; and

**WHEREAS**, RSDS/RSD knows no age limit and can cause severe personal disruptions to the lives of both the victims and their families; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim November 2005 as

**\*REFLEX SYMPATHETIC DYSTROPHY SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH\***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
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**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* VETERANS DAY 2005 \***

[M05-337]

**WHEREAS**, on Veterans Day we recognize the men and women of our armed forces who have valiantly defended the values of liberty, opportunity, and justice for all by answering the call of duty and risking their lives to protect their fellow countrymen; and

**WHEREAS**, Arizona is home to over half a million military veterans who have helped to shape the American character by giving us an extraordinary legacy of patriotism and honor, and representing the highest form of citizenship; and

**WHEREAS**, all citizens of the state of Arizona are indebted to veterans for their sacrifices and recognize that the interest of veterans must be protected and heard at the highest levels of government; and

**WHEREAS**, the unique perspective of veterans can benefit decisions that affect the citizens of the State of Arizona and can help educate and inspire a new generation of Americans;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona do hereby proclaim November 11, 2005 as

**\* VETERANS DAY 2005 \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this fifth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* U.S.S. ARIZONA MEMORIAL DAY \***

[M05-345]

**WHEREAS**, the U.S.S. Arizona Memorial in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, serves as a constant reminder to our armed forces and citizens that we must be alert and ready to respond to any potential threat; and

**WHEREAS**, more than 2,000 Navy and Marine Corps personnel were killed in the attack by Japan on December 7, 1941; and

**WHEREAS**, all Arizonans can be proud of the role that has been played by our native sons and daughters in the defense of liberty; and

**WHEREAS**, the people of Arizona can keep the spirit of the U.S.S. Arizona alive through recognition of the 1,102 Sailors and Marines who rest with their ship; and

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**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim December 7, 2005 as

**\* U.S.S. ARIZONA MEMORIAL DAY \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
**G O V E R N O R**

**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this sixth day of October in the year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**

**\* RUNAWAY PREVENTION MONTH \***

[M05-340]

**WHEREAS**, running away from home is widespread, with 1 out of every 7 youth in the United States running away from home before the age of 18; and

**WHEREAS**, runaway youth most often have been expelled from their homes by their families, physically, sexually, and emotionally abused at home, separated from their parents through death and divorce, too poor to secure their own basic needs, and ineligible or unable to access adequate medical or mental health resources; and

**WHEREAS**, effective programs supporting runaway youth and assisting youth and their families in remaining at home succeed because of partnerships created among families, community-based human service agencies, law enforcement agencies, schools, faith-based organizations, and businesses; and

**WHEREAS**, the future well-being of the State is dependent on the opportunities provided for youth and families to acquire the knowledge, skills, and abilities necessary for youth to develop into safe, healthy, and productive adults; and

**WHEREAS**, organizations throughout the State are jointly sponsoring Runaway Prevention Month to increase public awareness of the life circumstances of youth in high-risk situations and the need for safe, healthy, and productive alternatives, resources, and supports for youth, families, and communities;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Janet Napolitano, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim November 2005 as

**\* RUNAWAY PREVENTION MONTH \***

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

**Janet Napolitano**  
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**DONE** at the Capitol in Phoenix on this seventh day of October in the year Two Thousand and Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Thirtieth.

**ATTEST:**

**Janice K. Brewer**  
**Secretary of State**