

# State of South Carolina

## Governor's Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** senior citizens across the Palmetto State are valued members of our families, our society, and our communities; and

**WHEREAS,** these older South Carolinians have unique legal needs that require specialized knowledge and expertise; and

**WHEREAS,** elder law is a specialized area of the legal profession that provides representation, counseling, and assistance to seniors, persons with disabilities, and their families; and

**WHEREAS,** dedicated to securing the highest quality of life for their clients, elder law attorneys help our seniors understand their legal rights and make decisions and preparations for their future needs.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim May 2014 as

### ELDER LAW MONTH

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to honor our seniors, recognize their many contributions, and support their legal rights.



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**NIKKI R. HALEY**  
**GOVERNOR**  
**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**