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By His Excellency Dannel P. Malloy, Governor: an

Official Statement

WHEREAS, technology plays a vital role in the daily lives of citizens across the state; and

WHEREAS, critical business sectors are increasingly reliant on information systems to support financial services, energy infrastructure, telecommunications, transportation, utilities, health care, and emergency response systems; and

WHEREAS, internet users, and the information infrastructure they use, face an increasing threat of malicious cyber-attacks, loss of privacy from spyware and adware, and significant financial and personal privacy losses due to identity theft and fraud; and

WHEREAS, maintaining the security of cyberspace is a shared responsibility in which each of us has a critical role, and awareness of computer security essentials will improve the security of the Connecticut information infrastructure and economy; and

WHEREAS, all citizens are encouraged to learn about cyber security and to put that knowledge to practice in their homes, schools, workplaces, and businesses; now

THEREFORE, I, Dannel P. Malloy, Governor of the State of Connecticut, do hereby proclaim October 2016 as

CONNECTICUT CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS MONTH
in the State of Connecticut.

GOVERNOR