

Proclamation

Pacific Telecommunications Council (PTC)

WHEREAS, the Pacific Telecommunications Council is an international, non-profit, non-governmental membership organization and is the leading membership organization for telecommunications, and information and communication technology (ICT) professionals with interests in the Asia-Pacific region; and

WHEREAS the Pacific Telecommunications Council has convened the longest running pre-eminent conference in the Asia-Pacific for telecommunications and ICT bringing a positive economic impact through tourism, and providing an infusion of technology and innovation to the people of Hawai'i; and

WHEREAS, the Pacific Telecommunications Council culminates 37 years of work around the globe with the "PTC'15 Networked Planet" Conference on January 18 – 21, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Pacific Telecommunications Council is partnering with NHK, Japan's public broadcasting organization, to conduct free demonstrations at the conference of the 8K Super-Hi Vision television, a technology that is two generations beyond HDTV and will begin end-to-end transmission in Japan in 2018;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DAVID Y. IGE, Governor of the State of Hawai'i, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim January 18 through 21, 2015, as

"PTC'15 NETWORKED PLANET WEEK"

in Hawai'i and encourage the people of the Aloha State to join us in recognizing the Pacific Telecommunications Council (PTC) for its continued efforts in bringing technology and innovation to the people of Hawai'i.

DONE, at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this sixteenth day of January 2015.

DAVID Y. 16E

Governor, State of Hawai'i

SHAN S. TSUTSUI

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i