



*Proclamation  
Presented to*

**In Recognition of the 2013 AFL China All-Star Game Day**

**WHEREAS**, the State of Hawai'i has launched its Sports Development Initiative, which aims to build a thriving sports industry in the Islands, seeking to expand Hawai'i's prominence in the worldwide sporting community; and

**WHEREAS**, Ganlan Media International (GMI) is a company created by Martin E. Judge, Jr. to introduce and launch professional American Arena Football teams in China; following a successful trip to Beijing, China, AFL Global LLC together with partner Ganlan Media International, formally announced plans to further develop professional American Arena Football in China by fall 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, the Arena Football League (AFL) prides itself on remaining on the cusp of technology, not only in the areas of health and safety but also in the way games are broadcast; and

**WHEREAS**, AFL China is debuting its exciting sports enterprise in Hawai'i with an event encompassing a health and fitness exhibit, an all-star AFL game, and an appreciation concert targeting sports fans, families and friends; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and I, SHAN S. TSUTSUI, Lieutenant Governor** of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim November 2, 2013, as

**"2013 AFL CHINA ALL-STAR GAME DAY"**

in Hawai'i and encourage the people of the Aloha State to join us in welcoming the Arena Football League back to our beautiful State.

**DONE** at the State Capitol, in Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this seventeenth day of October 2013.

**NEIL ABERCROMBIE**  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

**SHAN S. TSUTSUI**  
Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i