WHEREAS, dental assistants play an important role in maintaining the dental health of our residents, providing technical expertise to assist dentists in every aspect of dentistry; and

WHEREAS, consistently performing their duties with professionalism, dental assistants across the Palmetto State use their skills and knowledge to make dental care accessible to increasing numbers of people; and

WHEREAS, Dental Assistants Recognition Week acknowledges the vital role dental assistants across our state and nation play in providing quality dental health care for the American people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mark Sanford, Governor of the Great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 4 - 10, 2007, as DENTAL ASSISTANTS RECOGNITION WEEK throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize the many contributions made by dental assistants to the quality and availability of dental services for our residents.

MARK SANFORD
GOVERNOR
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