BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

INTERNAL AUDIT AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS: Internal auditing is a vital part of strengthening organizations and protecting stakeholders of both the public and private sectors; and

WHEREAS: Internal auditing helps identify and manage the organization's risks and ensure policies, procedures, and controls are in place and working appropriately; and

WHEREAS: Internal auditing is an increasingly sophisticated and complex activity requiring specialized knowledge, training, and education; and

WHEREAS: Internal auditing is an established profession, led by the Institute of Internal Auditors, with globally recognized code of ethics and International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing; and

WHEREAS: The contribution of internal auditors to the success of organizations, and the global economy at large, deserves our recognition and commendations; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim May 2021 as INTERNAL AUDIT AWARENESS MONTH in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 2nd day of March in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.

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GOVERNOR

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CHIEF OF STAFF

ATTEST