BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD

WHEREAS: Thousands of brave Georgians serve in the military and have taken the oath to support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; and

WHEREAS: The children of these brave men and women make significant contributions to our schools, communities, and the State of Georgia, despite prolonged and repeated absences of one or both parents; and

WHEREAS: Georgia's military children are a source of pride and honor to us all, and it is fitting that we take time to recognize their contributions, celebrate their spirit, and let our men and women in uniform know that, while they take care of us, we will take care of their children; and

WHEREAS: The recognition of April as Month of the Military Child provides a special opportunity to pay tribute to military children for their commitment, their sacrifice, and their unconditional support of our troops; and

WHEREAS: Georgians are encouraged to observe this month by connecting with military children and families to provide support to all Georgia children affected by the deployment of parents and other caring adults in their lives; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim April 2021 as MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.

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GOVERNOR

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CHIEF OF STAFF