BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

REMAN DAY

WHEREAS: Remanufacturing is a comprehensive and rigorous industrial process by which a previously sold, leased, used, worn, or non-functional product or part is returned to a "like new" or "better than new" condition, from both a quality and performance perspective, through a controlled, reproducible, and sustainable process; and

WHEREAS: A 2012 U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) report found that remanufacturers support at least 180,000 full-time jobs in the U.S. Further, the ITC report states that production of remanufactured goods in the U.S. increased by 13 percent from 2009 to 2011, and exports totaled $11.2 billion annually; and

WHEREAS: Remanufacturing has been recognized by leading universities, research institutions, and manufacturers in the United States as good for the environment for its ability to divert end-of-life products from landfills; and

WHEREAS: By encouraging businesses, state agencies, nonprofit organizations, schools, and individuals to celebrate Reman Day 2021, we can further promote remanufacturing as environmentally friendly and economically smart; and

WHEREAS: To focus the nation's attention on the benefits of remanufacturing, businesses, educational institutions, and non-profit organizations have joined together to celebrate Reman Day and are encouraging their colleagues, friends, families, and their communities to learn more about the benefits of remanufactured products; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim April 8, 2021 as REMAN DAY in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 29th day of January in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-One.

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GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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CHIEF OF STAFF