



THE STATE OF GEORGIA

EXECUTIVE ORDER

BY THE GOVERNOR:

**INCREASING THE GEORGIANS FOR REFUGE,
ACTION, COMPASSION & EDUCATION COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP**

WHEREAS: Pursuant to Executive Order 02.26.19.01, the Georgians for Refuge, Action, Compassion & Education (GRACE) Commission was created to leverage the wealth of knowledge, community resources, and unwavering commitment of an alliance of individuals and entities from the private and public sectors to find solutions to the challenge of human trafficking and seek to eliminate human trafficking in our state; and

WHEREAS: Since its creation, the GRACE Commission has taken and continues to take swift and comprehensive action to combat the persistent – and growing – threat to freedom for countless victims in every region of our state; and

WHEREAS: Given this growing threat to freedom for these victims, growth of the GRACE Commission is also necessary in order to effectively continue to take action to combat this threat.

NOW, THEREFORE, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA, IT IS HEREBY

ORDERED: That the GRACE Commission membership shall be increased by one (1) member from twenty-two (22) members to twenty-three (23) members to be appointed by the Governor based on the recommendations of First Lady Marty Kemp.

This 14~~th~~ day of February 2022.


GOVERNOR