



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

MECP2 DUPLICATION SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH

WHEREAS: MECP2 Duplication Syndrome is a rare neurogenetic disorder affecting Georgians, their families, and many others across the United States of America and the world; and

WHEREAS: Those who are diagnosed with MECP2 Duplication Syndrome require significant daily care and support due to its effects, which are typically life-limiting and include developmental delays, seizures, and recurrent infections; and

WHEREAS: Greater awareness helps direct attention to the need for a treatment for MECP2 Duplication Syndrome; and

WHEREAS: Many in the MECP2 Duplication Syndrome community celebrate July as an awareness month; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim July 2022, as MECP2 DUPLICATION SYNDROME 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 30th day of June in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Two.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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