



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

NARCOLEPSY AWARENESS DAY

WHEREAS: Narcolepsy is a chronic neurological disorder caused by the brain's inability to regulate sleep-wake cycles, affecting an estimated 1 in 2,000 Americans; and

WHEREAS: Narcolepsy is often under-recognized and under-diagnosed; the symptoms of narcolepsy, especially when undiagnosed, can lead to accidents, injuries, and problems with learning and working; and

WHEREAS: Narcolepsy affects people neurologically, socially, emotionally, and of all ages, with onset typically between the ages of 15 and 25; and

WHEREAS: Narcolepsy Network is a national organization created to promote awareness of the disease and support for those who suffer from narcolepsy, naming this awareness day Suddenly Sleepy Saturday; now

THEREFORE: I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim March 12, 2022, as NARCOLEPSY AWARENESS DAY 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-Two.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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CHIEF OF STAFF