

## BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

## **A PROCLAMATION**

## NATIONAL TAIWAN DAY

WHEREAS:	Taiwan National Day holds great significance, marking the commemoration of the founding of the Republic of China on October 10th, 1911, and represents the resilience, determination, and indomitable spirit of the Taiwanese people in their pursuit of freedom, democracy, and prosperity; and
WHEREAS:	Georgia recognizes and admires Taiwan's remarkable achievements in various fields, including technology, innovation, and cultural heritage, and acknowledges their commitment to democratic values, human rights, and economic development, establishing themselves as a model for nations around the world; and
WHEREAS:	The dynamic relationship between the State of Georgia and Taiwan, characterized by robust economic ties, cultural exchanges, and cooperation in various sectors, has strengthened our bond and created opportunities for mutual growth and understanding; and
WHEREAS:	The State of Georgia applauds Taiwan's invaluable contributions to the global community, particularly in areas such as healthcare, sustainable development, and humanitarian assistance, and recognize their dedication to international cooperation and the well-being of all humanity; and
WHEREAS:	On this auspicious occasion, we reaffirm our commitment to strengthening the friendship and cooperation between the State of Georgia and Taiwan, striving to deepen our ties in trade, investment, education, tourism, and cultural exchanges, building bridges that foster mutual understanding, respect, and prosperity for our citizens; now
THEREFORE:	I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim October 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2023 as NATIONAL TAIWAN DAY in Georgia.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Three.

