

CARRIBEAN–AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

WHEREAS: People of Caribbean descent reside in every part of the United States and have influenced American culture, society and government; and

WHEREAS: The State of Georgia is one of the most culturally–enriched states in the Southeastern United States and is the home of many Caribbean–Americans; and

WHEREAS: It is important to celebrate the contributions of Caribbean–Americans to our country and our state and to foster support of the Caribbean–Americans; now

THEREFORE: I, SONNY PERDUE, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim June, 2006, as CARIBBEAN–AMERICAN HERITAGE 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 May in the year of our Lord two thousand six.