

A RESOLUTION adjourning the House of Representatives in awareness of cerebral palsy.

WHEREAS, cerebral palsy is a number of disorders of the developing brain that affect body movement, posture, and muscle coordination; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that 764,000 children and adults in the United States present one or more symptoms of cerebral palsy, and 10,000 babies born each year will develop the disease; and

WHEREAS, on February 3, 2016, the second annual Cerebral Palsy Awareness Event will take place in Floyd County, Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, the event, organized by Kimberly Robinson Burchett, raises money to donate to United Cerebral Palsy, a nonprofit health service that strives to open doors for cerebral palsy sufferers and their families and to provide assistance on such crucial issues as health care reform, education, and employment; and

WHEREAS, this honorable body recognizes the extraordinary efforts of United Cerebral Palsy and of Kimberly Robinson Burchett, whose daughter suffers from cerebral palsy, and grants all who will attend the Cerebral Palsy Awareness Event in Floyd County best wishes as they continue to give of their time and talent for this most worthy cause;

NOW, THEREFORE,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔Section 1. The members of the House of Representatives hereby acknowledge United Cerebral Palsy and Kimberly Robinson Burchett, thank them for their service to the most vulnerable citizens of this Commonwealth, and urge all Kentuckians to help in any way they can to promote cerebral palsy awareness in their communities.

➔Section 2. When the House of Representatives adjourns this day, it does so in awareness of cerebral palsy.

➔Section 3. The Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a

copy of this Resolution to Representative Greg Stumbo for delivery.