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House Resolution 1506

By: Representative Marin of the 96th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending the Georgia Chapter of Association of Physicians of Pakistani Descent of
- 2 North America (GA-APPNA) and its members and recognizing February 19, 2014, as
- 3 GA-APPNA Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.
- 4 WHEREAS, many representatives of the Georgia Chapter of Association of Physicians of
- 5 Pakistani Descent of North America will be at the state capitol to meet with legislators; and
- 6 WHEREAS, there are currently nearly 1,000 Pakistani physicians in the State of Georgia;
- 7 and
- 8 WHEREAS, members of the Georgia Chapter of Association of Physicians of Pakistani
- 9 Descent of North America are practicing in a wide range of settings, such as nonprofit,
- 10 community pharmacies, hospitals, nursing homes, academia, managed care, the
- 11 pharmaceutical industry, and private practice; and
- 12 WHEREAS, GA-APPNA physicians voluntarily provide exceptional care to their patients
- in underserved areas; and
- 14 WHEREAS, GA-APPNA physicians are the most knowledgeable, well-respected, and
- among the most ethical health care professionals in the State of Georgia; and
- 16 WHEREAS, GA-APPNA physicians established APPNA CARES Clinic Day to provide free
- 17 medical examinations and flu vaccines; and
- 18 WHEREAS, GA-APPNA physicians of Georgia have consistently provided outstanding care
- 19 to their patients; and

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20 WHEREAS, the Georgia Chapter of Association of Physicians of Pakistani Descent of North

- 21 America was founded in 1998 and is the professional association representing these
- 22 physicians of all practice settings.
- 23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 24 the members of this body commend the Georgia Chapter of Association of Physicians of
- 25 Pakistani Descent of North America and its members for 16 years of service to the patients
- of Georgia and recognize Wednesday, February 19, 2014, as GA-APPNA Day at the state
- 27 capitol.
- 28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
- 29 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia Chapter of
- 30 Association of Physicians of Pakistani Descent of North America.