

## House Resolution 464

By: Representatives Cannon of the 58<sup>th</sup>, Burnough of the 77<sup>th</sup>, Bennett of the 94<sup>th</sup>, Au of the 50<sup>th</sup>, and Adesanya of the 43<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring the life of Khari Oramae Burns and recognizing March 8, 2025, as Infant  
2 Emergency Awareness Day; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Khari Oramae Burns was born on November 30, 2023, in Atlanta, Georgia, at  
4 Northside Hospital, bringing immeasurable joy to her family as a cherished daughter,  
5 beloved sister, and radiant presence in the lives of all who knew her; and

6 WHEREAS, she was the only daughter of Erik Nickolas Burns Sr. and Brittany Nicole  
7 Burns, whose unwavering love and care created a world filled with joy and laughter, as well  
8 as the treasured little sister of Erik Nickolas Burns Jr., whose songs and presence brought her  
9 endless comfort and delight; and

10 WHEREAS, her days were filled with love and simple joys, as she found great happiness in  
11 watching her big brother play, splashing in warm baths, and sharing moments of music and  
12 dance with her parents, always smiling and reaching out to be held; and

13 WHEREAS, with a sweet and gentle spirit, Khari Oramae Burns was known for her  
14 comforting presence, bringing a sense of warmth and innocence to all who held her; and

15 WHEREAS, her bright spirit extended beyond her home as she was ever-present with her  
16 parents at community coat drives and hearings, a testament to the impact she had even in her  
17 earliest days; and

18 WHEREAS, Khari Oramae Burns departed this life suddenly on March 8, 2024, leaving  
19 behind a legacy of warmth, love, and happiness that continues to shine in the hearts of those  
20 who were blessed to know her; and

21 WHEREAS, though she left this world too soon, her memory lives on through her devoted  
22 parents, Erik Sr. and Brittany; her loving brother, Erik Jr.; her maternal grandmother, Pamela  
23 Jones; her paternal grandparents, Doris Burns and Billy Burns; her uncle, Eugene Burns; and  
24 a host of cherished cousins, aunts, uncles, family members, and friends.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
26 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Khari Oramae Burns and  
27 express their deepest and most sincere regret at her passing.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the members of this body recognize March 8, 2025, as  
29 Infant Emergency Awareness Day.

30 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
31 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the  
32 family of Khari Oramae Burns.