Proclamation
by Governor Jim Justice

Whereas, Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation (CDG) are a group of rare metabolic disorders that affect normal organ development and the neurological system, leaving children, adolescents and adults impaired with significant physical and developmental disability; and

Whereas, CDG is severely under-diagnosed and misdiagnosed with only approximately 1,500 cases diagnosed with CDG globally, and only 200 cases currently reported in the United States; and

Whereas, lack of public awareness and visibility of CDG contributes to under-diagnosis and difficulties in accessing specialized services and proper rehabilitation and support; and

Whereas, early diagnosis of CDG is important to ensure timely management of clinical complications, genetic counseling and when available treatment and therapeutic remedies; and

Whereas, the goal is to raise awareness and increase the accurate and timely diagnosis of this rare group of inherited metabolic disorders, known as CDG.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim May 16, 2022 as:

Congenital Disorders of Glycosylation (CDG) Awareness Day

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to join me in this observance.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Fifteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Two, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Ninth year of the State.

[Signature]
Governor

By the Governor:

[Signature]
Mac Warner
Secretary of State