

# State of South Carolina

## Governor's Proclamation

**WHEREAS,** the incidence of multiple births in the United States has increased as more women are having babies after the age of thirty and are utilizing fertility treatments; and

**WHEREAS,** from physical and psychological issues to social and economic impacts, multiple births present special challenges to parents; and

**WHEREAS,** with a commitment to support and encouragement, Palmetto State Parents of Multiples provides a network of education, sharing, research, and caring for South Carolinians raising multiples.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 7, 2015, as**

### **PALMETTO STATE PARENTS OF MULTIPLES DAY**

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize Palmetto State Parents of Multiples for its support of parents and guardians facing the unique challenges of raising multiples.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

**NIKKI R. HALEY**  
**GOVERNOR**  
**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**