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Assembly Resolution No. 249

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MEMORIALIZING Governor Kathy Hochul to proclaim  
March 2023, as Athletic Training Month in the State  
of New York

WHEREAS, Athletic Trainers strive to provide excellence in health  
care for those participating in athletic activity; and

WHEREAS, With pride and dedication, athletic trainers work to  
educate the community on methods and techniques used to decrease the  
risk of injuries and illnesses occurring to athletes and other  
physically active persons; and

WHEREAS, Athletic Trainers remain on the front line of emerging  
research concerning health concerns such as concussions, heat illness,  
and performance enhancing drugs; and

WHEREAS, New York State recognizes the skilled efforts of these  
professionals as they endeavor to care for and manage the health  
concerns of athletes and physically active persons; and

WHEREAS, Groups such as the New York State Athletic Trainers'  
Association, founded in 1976, work to improve the health care available  
to physically active persons within the State through the advancement of  
the athletic training profession; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to memorialize Governor Kathy Hochul to proclaim March 2023, as Athletic Training Month in New York State, and to recognize the important services provided by athletic trainers to New York's citizens; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to The Honorable Kathy Hochul, Governor of the State of New York; and the New York State Athletic Trainers' Association.