

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 110 Session of
2005

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MAY 3, 2005

INTRODUCED AND ADOPTED, MAY 3, 2005

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of May 15 through 21, 2005, as "National
2 Police Week" and May 15, 2005, as "Peace Officers' Memorial
3 Day" in Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, Approximately 645 police officers have made the
5 ultimate sacrifice since the beginning of law enforcement within
6 this Commonwealth by being killed in the line of duty; and

7 WHEREAS, Across the United States the week of May 15 through
8 21, 2005, will be recognized as "National Police Week"; and

9 WHEREAS, The first National Police Officers' Memorial Day was
10 held on May 15, 1982, following a proclamation signed by

11 President John F. Kennedy, on October 1, 1962, and has continued
12 to be observed annually in memory of those police officers who
13 made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty; therefore be it

14 RESOLVED, That the Senate honor the memory of the hundreds of
15 police officers who gave their lives in the line of duty in this
16 Commonwealth; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the week of May 15
2 through 21, 2005, as "National Police Week" and May 15, 2005, as
3 "Peace Officers' Memorial Day" in Pennsylvania.