

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 547 Session of 2009

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
DECEMBER 4, 2009

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the Gettysburg  
2 Battlefield's Pennsylvania Memorial.

3 WHEREAS, The largest and most ornate monument on the  
4 Gettysburg Battlefield is the Pennsylvania Memorial, constructed  
5 in 1909 through 1910 and dedicated in 1910; and

6 WHEREAS, The Pennsylvania Memorial was constructed of North  
7 Carolina granite set over an iron and concrete frame; and

8 WHEREAS, The names of all Pennsylvanians who fought at  
9 Gettysburg are engraved into the Pennsylvania Memorial, and  
10 those who died as a result of the battle are indicated; and

11 WHEREAS, In 1997, a major restoration of the monument was

1 undertaken after it became apparent that age and weather had  
2 structurally damaged it; and

3 WHEREAS, As the Pennsylvania Memorial anticipates the 100th  
4 anniversary of its dedication, it stands proudly on the  
5 battlefield and welcomes visitors; therefore be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives commemorate the  
7 100th anniversary of the Gettysburg Battlefield's Pennsylvania  
8 Memorial.