

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 280 Session of 2011

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, MAY 10, 2011

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating May 8 through 14, 2011, as "National Nursing Home
2 Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The men and women now residing in Pennsylvania's
4 more than 700 nursing homes fought our wars, labored in our
5 factories and planted the seeds that built our strong
6 communities; and

7 WHEREAS, More than 80,000 nursing home residents are
8 themselves living history and a special treasure to our
9 Commonwealth; and

10 WHEREAS, The citizens of this Commonwealth residing in
11 nursing homes have contributed immeasurably to the heritage,
12 success and growth of our communities; and

13 WHEREAS, Nursing homes across this Commonwealth are holding

1 events in observance of Nursing Home Week guided by this year's
2 national theme of "Fulfilling the Promise"; and

3 WHEREAS, Nursing Home Week begins on Mother's Day, May 8, and
4 ends on May 14, 2011; therefore be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate May 8
6 through 14, 2011, as "National Nursing Home Week" in
7 Pennsylvania; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That everyone throughout this Commonwealth be urged
9 to honor the elderly and disabled residents of nursing homes by
10 visiting or volunteering at a local nursing home to bring good
11 cheer to the residents and appreciation to the staff who care
12 for our most vulnerable citizens on our behalf.