
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 461 Session of
2018

INTRODUCED BY HUTCHINSON, AUMENT, BAKER, BARTOLOTTA, BROOKS,
BROWNE, DINNIMAN, EICHELBERGER, FOLMER, HUGHES, MARTIN,
MENSCH, RAFFERTY, SABATINA, SCHWANK, TARTAGLIONE, WARD, WHITE
AND YUDICHAK, OCTOBER 15, 2018

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A RESOLUTION

1 Designating October 15, 2018, as "Sons of the American
2 Revolution Day" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, The Sons of the American Revolution, known as the
4 SAR, is a nonprofit organization with a long history of honoring
5 the institutions and values of our national experience; and

6 WHEREAS, Each member of this heritage society has a
7 documented ancestral line to a person who contributed to the
8 cause of American independence from 1775 through 1783; and

9 WHEREAS, The SAR was organized on April 30, 1889, in
10 conjunction with the 100th anniversary of George Washington's
11 first inauguration; and

12 WHEREAS, According to a Federal statute enacted in 1906:

13 "The purposes and objects of corporation are declared to be
14 patriotic, historical, and educational, and shall include
15 those intended or designed to perpetuate the memory of the
16 men who, by their services or sacrifices during the war of
17 the American Revolution, achieved the independence of the

1 American people"; and
2 WHEREAS, An international society was constituted in 1999;
3 and
4 WHEREAS, Local, state and global chapter members are united
5 in their commitment to maintaining our founding principles,
6 institutions and historical sites; and
7 WHEREAS, Members are further united in fellowship,
8 citizenship and their lineal descent from the patriots who
9 pressed for American independence; therefore be it
10 RESOLVED, That the Senate designate October 15, 2018, as
11 "Sons of the American Revolution Day" in Pennsylvania.