THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 121 Session of 1995

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A RESOLUTION

Recognizing the week of April 16 through 22, 1995, as "National 1 2 Medical Laboratory Week" in Pennsylvania. 3 WHEREAS, The American Society of Clinical Pathologists in cooperation with other health care organizations is celebrating 4 5 "National Medical Laboratory Week" during the week of April 16 through 22, 1995; and 6 7 WHEREAS, The theme for this year's observance is "The Lab Professional: A Key Member of Your Health Care Team"; and 8 9 WHEREAS, These highly trained professionals are the key to 10 early detection of disease, appropriate diagnoses and costeffective treatment, which is a major goal of health care 11 reform; and 12 13 WHEREAS, Medical laboratory personnel are the largest segment of the allied health care field; and 14

15 WHEREAS, These highly trained and dedicated professionals are

1 the least publicized professionals in the health care

2 profession; and

3 WHEREAS, By observing "National Medical Laboratory Week" with 4 appropriate programs and displays, the public will become more 5 aware of the vital role that laboratory personnel play in the 6 health care field; therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the 8 week of April 16 through 22, 1995, as "National Medical 9 Laboratory Week" in Pennsylvania and urge all Pennsylvanians to 10 take part in the programs that will be conducted by health care 11 organizations to commemorate this important observance.