THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing the month of March 2021 as "National Athletic Training Month" in Pennsylvania.
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- 3 WHEREAS, Licensed athletic trainers have a long history of
- 4 providing quality health care based on specific tasks, evidence-
- 5 based knowledge and skills acquired through their nationally
- 6 regulated educational processes; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Athletic trainers provide education on the
- 8 prevention of injuries, recognition, evaluation and aggressive
- 9 treatment and rehabilitation of injuries, health care
- 10 administration, research and quidance and compassionate care for
- 11 all; and
- 12 WHEREAS, The National Athletic Trainers' Association
- 13 represents and supports more than 44,000 members of the athletic
- 14 training profession employed in many settings, including
- 15 professional sports, colleges and universities, high schools,
- 16 clinics and hospitals, corporate and industrial settings,
- 17 performing arts and the military; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Leading organizations concerned with athletic

- 1 training and health care have joined together in a common desire
- 2 to raise public awareness of the importance of the athletic
- 3 training profession and to emphasize the importance of quality
- 4 health care within all settings in which athletic trainers are
- 5 employed; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Efforts such as these will improve health care for
- 7 patients and promote licensed athletic trainers as health
- 8 professionals; therefore be it
- 9 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the month of March 2021
- 10 as "National Athletic Training Month" in Pennsylvania and urge
- 11 the people of this Commonwealth to learn more about the
- 12 importance of athletic training.