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TO: All Senators
FROM: Senator Jane C. Orie
DATE: April 25, 2011
SUBJECT: World Asthma Day (May 3, 2011)

Next week I will be offering a resolution recognizing Tuesday, May 3rd as "World Asthma Day" in Pennsylvania.

World Asthma Day is an annual event organized by the Global Initiative for Asthma (GINA) to improve asthma awareness and care around the world. This year's theme will again be "You Can Control Your Asthma."

In Pennsylvania, the American Lung Association and several other agencies formed the Pennsylvania Asthma Partnership, a statewide organization whose goal is to improve the health status and quality of life of Pennsylvania residents affected by asthma.

For 2010, I introduced **SR 334** cosponsored by Senators SCARNATI, PILEGGI, ALLOWAY, BOSCOLA, BRUBAKER, COSTA, DINNIMAN, EARLL, ERICKSON, FERLO, FOLMER, FONTANA, GREENLEAF, KITCHEN, LOGAN, O'PAKE, PIPPY, RAFFERTY, ROBBINS, STACK, STOUT, TARTAGLIONE, VOGEL, WASHINGTON, D. WHITE AND WILLIAMS.

Please join me in cosponsoring this resolution by contacting Monica Armstrong at 787-6538 or by email at marmstrong@pasen.gov.

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