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TO: ALL SENATORS
FROM: Senator Patricia H. Vance *PHV*
DATE: October 13, 2011
SUBJECT: Memo #25 – Children’s Grief Awareness Day

In the near future, I plan to introduce a Senate Resolution declaring November 17, 2011, as Children’s Grief Awareness Day Pennsylvania.

The Highmark Caring Places has been providing a helpful place for grieving children, adolescents and their families throughout Pennsylvania. Children who have had a loved one die, especially a close family member, can carry that loss with them forever unless they work through their grief. One in 20 children will have a parent die by the time they turn 18.

If you are interested in co-sponsoring this resolution, please contact my office at 787-8524 or email Tracy Polovick at tpolovick@pasen.gov.