THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY MAYERNIK, MARKOSEK, BOWLEY, BELFANTI, McCALL, SEVENTY AND COLAFELLA, MAY 26, 1987

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MAY 27, 1987

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Memorializing the Governor to declare the month of June 1987 as 2 "Pennsylvania Travel Month."
- 1 WHEREAS, The travel and tourism industry in Pennsylvania is
- 2 truly a "friend" to Pennsylvania and plays a valuable role in
- 3 creating a positive image of this Commonwealth and its
- 4 resources; and
- 5 WHEREAS, May 17 through 23, 1987, is "National Tourism Week";
- 6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, The travel and tourism industry is the second
- 8 largest nonagricultural industry in this Commonwealth,
- 9 contributing heavily to Pennsylvania's economic prosperity and
- 10 placing it fifth among the states of this nation in annual
- 11 tourism receipts; and
- 12 WHEREAS, At a time of high unemployment, Pennsylvania's
- 13 travel industry accounted for many jobs in 1986 and is today the
- 14 largest single employer of women and minorities; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Continuing economic recovery can be expected to

- 1 produce increases in personal income and leisure time, which in
- 2 turn can be expected to contribute to growth in the travel and
- 3 tourism industry; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The travel and tourism industry in this Commonwealth
- 5 is to be commended for promoting Pennsylvania as the beautiful,
- 6 friendly, historic and desirable vacation destination that it
- 7 is; therefore be it
- 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives memorialize the
- 9 Governor to declare the month of June 1987 as "Pennsylvania
- 10 Travel Month."