THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MAY 6, 1987

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Proclaiming the week of June 1 through 7, 1987, as "Pennsylvania Polio Week."
- 3 WHEREAS, There are an estimated 300,000 polio survivors in
- 4 the United States today, 65,000 to 70,000 of whom may experience
- 5 polio's late effects; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Knowledge about the late effects of polio is slowly
- 7 spreading to the health-care community and to the general
- 8 public; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Polio is still endemic and epidemic in the Third
- 10 World and is a threat to unimmunized travelers; and
- 11 WHEREAS, The International Polio Network, in an effort to
- 12 call attention to the problem and to provide factual
- 13 information, will present the Fourth International Polio and
- 14 Independent Living Conference in St. Louis on June 4 through 7,
- 15 1987; therefore be it
- 16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives hereby proclaims

- 1 the week of June 1 through 7, 1987, as "Pennsylvania Polio Week"
- 2 to focus attention on the late effects of polio and to salute
- 3 the work of Polio Survivors Support Groups throughout the
- 4 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.