

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 230 Session of
2003

INTRODUCED BY GODSHALL, LESCOVITZ, ALLEN, ARGALL, ARMSTRONG, BAKER, BALDWIN, BARD, BARRAR, BEBKO-JONES, BELARDI, BELFANTI, BISHOP, BOYD, BROWNE, BUNT, CAPPELLI, CAUSER, CIVERA, CLYMER, CORRIGAN, COSTA, COY, CRAHALLA, CREIGHTON, CRUZ, CURRY, DALEY, DALLY, DeLUCA, DERMODY, DeWEESE, DiGIROLAMO, DONATUCCI, J. EVANS, FABRIZIO, FAIRCHILD, FEESE, FICHTER, FLEAGLE, FORCIER, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, GEIST, GERGELY, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, GORDNER, GRUCELA, HALUSKA, HANNA, HARHAI, HARPER, HERMAN, HERSHEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, HORSEY, HUTCHINSON, JAMES, JOSEPHS, KELLER, KENNEY, KOTIK, LAUGHLIN, LEACH, LEDERER, LEH, LEWIS, MAITLAND, MANDERINO, MANN, MARKOSEK, MARSICO, McGEEHAN, MCGILL, McILHATTAN, McNAUGHTON, MELIO, R. MILLER, S. MILLER, NAILOR, PAYNE, PHILLIPS, PICKETT, PISTELLA, READSHAW, REED, REICHLEY, ROBERTS, ROHRER, ROSS, RUBLEY, SAINATO, SANTONI, SATHER, SAYLOR, SCHRODER, SEMMEL, SHANER, B. SMITH, SOLOBAY, STABACK, STERN, SURRA, E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE, TRAVAGLIO, TRUE, WALKO, WANSACZ, WASHINGTON, WATSON, WILT, WOJNAROSKI, YOUNGBLOOD, ZUG AND T. STEVENSON, APRIL 24, 2003

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,
APRIL 24, 2003

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of May 10 through 18, 2003, as "National
2 Tourism Week" and May 6, 2003, as "Tourism Day" in
3 Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, The week of May 10 through 18, 2003, has been
5 selected as "National Tourism Week"; and

6 WHEREAS, "National Tourism Week" was established in 1983 when
7 the Congress of the United States passed a joint resolution
8 designating a week in May 1984 as "National Tourism Week" and in
9 a White House ceremony, the President signed a Presidential

1 proclamation urging citizens to observe the week with
2 appropriate ceremonies and activities; and

3 WHEREAS, Tourism is Pennsylvania's second largest industry
4 and a major contributor to the economy of this Commonwealth,
5 providing in excess of \$34 billion in visitor spending, 563,440
6 jobs with more than \$11.5 billion payroll and \$4 billion in
7 Federal, State and local tax revenues; and

8 WHEREAS, Pennsylvania is the fifth most visited state in the
9 country, accounting for 4.6% of all leisure travel and 3.9% of
10 all business travel; therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
12 week of May 10 through 18, 2003, as "National Tourism Week" and
13 May 6, 2003, as "Tourism Day" in Pennsylvania.