THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

- 1 Designating November 14, 2007, as "Leukemia, Lymphoma and
- Myeloma Awareness Day" in Pennsylvania.
- 3 WHEREAS, Leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma will, according to
- 4 statistics, kill an estimated 2,820 people in this Commonwealth
- 5 this year; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The National Cancer Institute of the National
- 7 Institutes of Health is committed to the elimination of
- 8 suffering and death due to cancers affecting blood by the year
- 9 2015; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The Senate is similarly committed to the eradication
- 11 of blood cancers and supports the treatment of people in this
- 12 Commonwealth who suffer from them; and
- 13 WHEREAS, The Senate will continue efforts to provide support
- 14 for research and other efforts that will lead to a complete cure
- 15 for leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma; therefore be it
- 16 RESOLVED, That the Senate designate November 14, 2007, as

- 1 "Leukemia, Lymphoma and Myeloma Awareness Day" to enhance the
- 2 understanding of cancers affecting blood, encourage
- 3 participation in voluntary activities to support education
- 4 programs and support the funding of research programs to find a
- 5 cure for blood cancers.