
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of October 20 through 24, 2008, as
2 "National Business Women's Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Working women constitute 66 million of the nation's
4 work force and strive to serve their communities, their states
5 and their nation in professional, civic and cultural capacities;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, Woman-owned businesses account for 28% of all United
8 States businesses, generating \$1.15 trillion in sales; and

9 WHEREAS, In 1928, President Herbert Hoover designated the
10 third week of October as "National Business Women's Week"; and

11 WHEREAS, The major goals of Business and Professional
12 Women/USA are to promote equality for all women and to help
13 create better conditions for working women through the study of
14 social, educational, economic and political issues; and

15 WHEREAS, For 75 years, various women's business groups have
16 been spotlighting the achievements and contributions of working

1 women during "National Business Women's Week"; therefore be it
2 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the week of October 20
3 through 24, 2008, as "National Business Women's Week" in
4 Pennsylvania.