

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 930 Session of 2012

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INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, OCTOBER 16, 2012

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of October 22 through 26, 2012, as "No
2 Place for Hate Week" in Pennsylvania and commending the Anti-
3 Defamation League for its outstanding efforts to promote
4 peace, brotherhood and goodwill through its "No Place for
5 Hate" program.

6 WHEREAS, The Anti-Defamation League (ADL) was formed by
7 concerned citizens 99 years ago to fight anti-Semitism and all
8 forms of bigotry and discrimination; and

9 WHEREAS, ADL members continue today to engage in antibias
10 programs designed for schools, workplaces, college campuses and
11 communities; and

12 WHEREAS, A major initiative of ADL has been the "No Place for
13 Hate" program in schools and communities, which promotes respect
14 for differences; and

15 WHEREAS, This year marks the 11-year anniversary for "No
16 Place for Hate" working with Pennsylvania communities and

1 schools and other local organizations; and

2 WHEREAS, "No Place for Hate" projects in communities and
3 schools in this Commonwealth have taken the form of candlelight
4 vigils, surveys in middle schools and high schools, teacher and
5 student training, panel discussions on bullying, mural projects,
6 rapid response teams, marches, speeches and talent shows where
7 performers have presented original pieces based on the "No Place
8 for Hate" theme; and

9 WHEREAS, While its work is far from done, ADL has every
10 reason to be proud of its outstanding contributions to the
11 understanding and tolerance that exist today in American society
12 and especially its well-received "No Place for Hate" program;
13 therefore be it

14 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
15 week of October 22 through 26, 2012, as "No Place for Hate Week"
16 in Pennsylvania and commend the Anti-Defamation League for its
17 outstanding efforts to promote peace, brotherhood and goodwill
18 through its "No Place for Hate" program.