THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commemorating the 125th anniversary of The Hershey Company.
- 2 WHEREAS, The Hershey Company ranks first in United States
- 3 confection and second in United States snack manufacturing; and
- 4 WHEREAS, The Hershey Company's iconic brands, including
- 5 Hershey's Milk Chocolate and Hershey's Kisses, generate more
- 6 than \$7.8 billion annually; and
- WHEREAS, The Hershey Company has manufacturing facilities,
- 8 retail partners, nonprofit partners, community partners and
- 9 approximately 16,500 employees around the world; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The Hershey Company is headquartered in Hershey, the
- 11 community industrialist Milton Hershey built around his Derry
- 12 Township chocolate factory; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mr. Hershey founded The Hershey Chocolate Company in
- 14 Lancaster County in 1894 and broke ground in Dauphin County in
- 15 1903; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Mr. Hershey's "Great Building Campaign" produced

- 1 notable community improvements, cultural landmarks and jobs
- 2 during the Great Depression; and
- 3 WHEREAS, The Hershey Company has a singular purpose to make
- 4 more moments of goodness and does so ethically, responsibly and
- 5 compassionately; and
- 6 WHEREAS, The Shared Goodness strategy for sustainability
- 7 encompasses "our business, our planet, our communities, our
- 8 children"; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Employees participate in a global week of service,
- 10 Good to Give Back Week, as well as Rise Against Hunger and
- 11 Partners in Food Solutions events; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Employees interact throughout the year with students
- 13 from Milton Hershey School, a private philanthropic institution
- 14 Mr. Hershey and his wife Catherine founded in 1909; and
- 15 WHEREAS, Employees volunteer their expertise in marketing,
- 16 manufacturing and product development; and
- 17 WHEREAS, For 125 years, The Hershey Company has sourced and
- 18 delivered quality products, brands and services while advancing
- 19 a significant culture of purpose; therefore be it
- 20 RESOLVED, That the Senate commemorate the 125th anniversary
- 21 of The Hershey Company.