## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 235 Session of 2013

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## A RESOLUTION

1 2	Recognizing April 11, 2013, as "Eat for Peace Day" in Pennsylvania.
3	WHEREAS, "Eat for Peace Day" was inspired by Philadelphian
4	Anthony Lucidonio, Jr., after opening his restaurant, Tony
5	Luke's, in Bahrain; and
6	WHEREAS, The House of Representatives understands the need
7	for people from all walks of life to recognize and appreciate
8	cultural differences; and
9	WHEREAS, Respectful collaboration among all nationalities,
10	customs and backgrounds is key in creating and maintaining a
11	peaceful world; and
12	WHEREAS, All people need to recognize the differences between
13	themselves and others and engage in the understanding of others;
14	and
15	WHEREAS, Regardless of race or ethnicity, all individuals
16	strive for happiness; and

1 WHEREAS, Anthony Lucidonio, Jr., found that when people eat together they share cultural experiences and deepen 2 understanding and peace between individuals; and 3 WHEREAS, "Eat for Peace Day" asks that all people share a 4 meal with persons of various backgrounds and thereby take a 5 stride toward peace by shedding their stereotypes and 6 prejudices; therefore be it 7 8 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives encourage individuals to dine with people of diverse customs in order to 9 bring peace among different races and religions; and be it 10 11 further 12 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize April 13 11, 2013, as "Eat for Peace Day" in Pennsylvania, in order to 14 encourage all societies to recognize differences in cultures and

accept those differences to attain acceptance and peace around

16 the world.

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