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SENATE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the week of May 17 through 23, 2015, as "Emergency
2 Medical Services Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, Emergency medical services are a vital public
4 service; and

5 WHEREAS, The members of emergency medical services teams are
6 ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a
7 day, seven days a week; and

8 WHEREAS, Access to quality emergency care dramatically
9 improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience
10 sudden illness or injury; and

11 WHEREAS, The emergency medical services system consists of
12 emergency physicians, emergency nurses, rescue personnel,
13 emergency medical technicians, advanced emergency medical
14 technicians, paramedics, prehospital nurses, prehospital
15 physician extenders, air medical personnel, emergency medical
16 responders, emergency vehicle operators, firefighters, police
17 officers, educators, dispatchers, administrators and others; and

1 WHEREAS, The members of emergency medical services teams,
2 whether career or volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of
3 specialized training and continuing education to enhance their
4 lifesaving skills; and

5 WHEREAS, It is appropriate to recognize the value and the
6 accomplishments of emergency medical services providers;
7 therefore be it

8 RESOLVED, That the Senate recognize the week of May 17
9 through 23, 2015, as "Emergency Medical Services Week" in
10 Pennsylvania.