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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY TEPLITZ, FERLO, DINNIMAN, STACK, WASHINGTON,  
ERICKSON, KASUNIC, BROWNE, FONTANA, GREENLEAF, RAFFERTY,  
SMITH, BREWSTER, VULAKOVICH, ALLOWAY, HUGHES, COSTA AND  
WILLIAMS, OCTOBER 2, 2013

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A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the month of October as "Attention Deficit  
2 Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Awareness Month" in  
3 Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, More than six million, or 11% of school-aged  
5 children and 4% of adults in the United States have been  
6 diagnosed with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD);  
7 and

8 WHEREAS, ADHD is one of the most common childhood disorders  
9 and can continue through adolescence and adulthood; and

10 WHEREAS, ADHD is a neurobehavioral disorder and the primary  
11 symptoms include inattention, impulsiveness and hyperactivity;  
12 and

13 WHEREAS, ADHD is a nondiscriminatory disorder affecting  
14 people of every age, gender, IQ, religious and socioeconomic  
15 background; therefore be it

16 RESOLVED, That the Senate of Pennsylvania designate the month  
17 of October as "Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)

1 Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.