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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

# SUPPORTING A UNIVERSAL BREAKFAST PROGRAM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

<u>Introduced By:</u> Representatives Slater, Handy, Ajello, Naughton, and Almeida <u>Date Introduced:</u> February 25, 2010 <u>Referred To:</u> House Health, Education & Welfare

WHEREAS, There exists a correlation between adequate child nutrition and a child's
 physical, emotional, and cognitive development, as well as a direct relationship between adequate
 nutrition and a child's ability to perform well in school; now, therefore be it
 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
 Providence Plantations hereby supports and encourages the expansion of the Universal School

Breakfast Program, including, but not limited to, pilot programs that provide a Universal School
Breakfast in the classroom, regardless of family income; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to 9 transmit duly certified copies of this resolution to the Rhode Island Board of Regents, the Rhode 10 Island Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education, the National Education 11 Association of Rhode Island, and the Rhode Island Federation of Teachers and Health 12 Professionals.

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