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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2015

SENATE RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING PAULINE PERKINS-MOYE ON BEING SELECTED AS ONE OF THE 2015 NEWPORT DAILY NEWS COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNERS

Introduced By: Senators Paiva Weed, DiPalma, and Ottiano

Date Introduced: April 09, 2015

Referred To: Recommended for Immediate Consideration

WHEREAS, The Newport Daily News established a "Community Service Award" in 1 1995 on the paper's 150th Anniversary celebration in order to recognize and encourage 2 3 volunteerism within the community. This year marks the 20th Anniversary of its award 4 presentations; and WHEREAS, Chosen from a field of nominees, Pauline Perkins-Moye, a longtime 5 resident of the City of Newport, was selected as one of this year's recipients of this prestigious 6 7 award for her panoply of community service undertakings and activities; and 8 WHEREAS, As a young girl, Pauline and her family experienced a tragedy that forever 9 changed her look on life. During that difficult time, she experienced first-hand the kindness of 10 others, and for much of her life, she has been giving back that kindness in tenfold; and 11 WHEREAS, Pauline has vigorously worked to eliminate poverty and improve housing 12 for those less fortunate members of the community. She has endeavored to provide breakfast for 13 schoolchildren, and is a surrogate mother to countless children. She has spent more than 1,100 hours as a volunteer at Newport Hospital and has been a friend to an equal number of people in 14 15 need; and WHEREAS, Full of energy, generosity, and love, Pauline Perkins-Moye is a role model, 16 a guardian angel, an advocate and a loyal friend. She is an irreplaceable community asset and 17 18 deserving of this award and our gratitude; now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That this Senate of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

- 1 hereby congratulates and honors Pauline Perkins-Moye on being selected as one of the 2015
- 2 Newport Daily News Community Service Award winners. Her years of devoted service to the
- 3 community are an inspiration to us all; and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to 4
- 5 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Pauline Perkins-Moye.

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