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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating the Turning for Home program established by the
- Pennsylvania Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association at
- 3 Philadelphia Park.
- 4 WHEREAS, The Pennsylvania Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association
- 5 at Philadelphia Park in Bensalem, Pennsylvania, is being
- 6 recognized for the success of its Turning for Home program and
- 7 celebrating the placement of more than 2,000 horses into
- 8 adoptive homes; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Established in May 2008, Turning for Home, Inc., is
- 10 a nonprofit organization and a model program for other
- 11 racetracks around this nation; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Since the inception of the program at Philadelphia
- 13 Park Racetrack, its mission has been to help trainers and owners
- 14 who are based at Philadelphia Park to place their thoroughbred
- 15 racehorses in safe, approved adoptive homes or retirement
- 16 organizations; and
- 17 WHEREAS, Turning for Home, Inc., has developed a strong
- 18 reputation for the highest quality of service by steady

- 1 adherence to the principles of fairness, reliability and
- 2 integrity, and has become a leader in the community of
- 3 thoroughbred racing and a model that is worthy of emulation; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Through Turning for Home, Inc., retired
- 5 thoroughbreds can go on to new lives after racing, helping
- 6 at-risk youths and assisting men and women as they return from
- 7 military duty through equine-assisted psychotherapy; therefore
- 8 be it
- 9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives congratulate the
- 10 Turning for Home program established by the Pennsylvania
- 11 Thoroughbred Horsemen's Association at Philadelphia Park.