THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 603   Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY DAY, READSHAW, HENNESSEY, SONNEY, DUSH, BIZZARRO, COHEN, KILLION, CALTAGIRONE, MILLARD, THOMAS, DiGIROLAMO, MACKENZIE, HELM, WHEELAND, GIBBONS, McNEILL, BISHOP, ROZZI, MAHONEY, DIAMOND, MARSICO, ACOSTA, D. COSTA, FREEMAN, LONGIETTI, YOUNGBLOOD, NEILSON, ROSS, KIM, D. PARKER, PAYNE, PHILLIPS-HILL AND GINGRICH, NOVEMBER 30, 2015

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, NOVEMBER 30, 2015

A RESOLUTION

1   Designating the month of November 2015 as "DECA Month" in
2   Pennsylvania.

3   WHEREAS, DECA is an association of marketing and management

4   students; and

5   WHEREAS, DECA prepares emerging leaders and entrepreneurs in

6   marketing, finance, hospitality and business management in high

7   schools and colleges around the globe; and

8   WHEREAS, DECA is recognized for its community service and

9   outreach and for expanding learning opportunities for students;

10   and

11   WHEREAS, The Congress of the United States, the United States

12   Department of Education and state, district and international

13   departments of education authorize DECA's programs; and

14   WHEREAS, DECA is a global network with more than 200,000

15   members in 50 states, the District of Columbia and nine

1 countries; and

2   WHEREAS, There are 3,500 high school chapters, 275 collegiate

3 chapters and 5,500 advisers associated with DECA; and

4   WHEREAS, This Commonwealth boasts 5,000 DECA members; and

5   WHEREAS, Pennsylvania DECA has impacted the lives of more

6 than 10 million students, educators, school administrators and

7 business professionals since its founding in 1947; and

8   WHEREAS, Pennsylvania DECA's programs and activities have

9 constantly evolved through the use of the latest technology and

10 the application of cutting-edge educational research; therefore

11 be it

12   RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate the

13 month of November 2015 as "DECA Month" in Pennsylvania.