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House of Representatives COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

April 24, 2001

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Proposed Resolution – Stroke Awareness Month

TO: All House Members

FROM: Representative Larry O. Sather Tarry Representative Kerry A. Benninghoff

In the near future, we will be introducing a resolution designating May 2001 as "Stroke Awareness Month" in Pennsylvania.

The American Heart Association has declared May 2001 as "Stroke Awareness Month" in order to educate all the citizens of our state to familiarize themselves with the signs, symptoms, and risk factors associated with stroke so that we might begin to reduce the devastating effects that a stroke makes on our population.

If you wish to cosponsor this legislation, please contact Jennifer Haines in Representative Larry Sather's office at 7-3335 or by Group Wise or e-mail at <u>jhaines@pahousegop.com</u>

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