THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. 462 Session of 2024

INTRODUCED BY CEPEDA-FREYTIZ, HILL-EVANS, KHAN, SANCHEZ, GIRAL AND ROZZI, JUNE 4, 2024

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TOURISM AND ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT, JUNE 4, 2024

A RESOLUTION

1 2	Designating June 24, 2024, as "Universal Day of the Romanian Blouse" in Pennsylvania.
3	WHEREAS, There are more than 167,000 Romanian immigrants
4	living in the United States; and
5	WHEREAS, More than 4,200 Romanian immigrants reside in this
6	Commonwealth; and
7	WHEREAS, The traditional Romanian blouse holds profound
8	cultural significance as an iconic symbol of Romanian heritage
9	and craftsmanship; and
10	WHEREAS, The Romanian blouse represents centuries of
11	tradition, artistry and cultural identity of the Romanian
12	people; and
13	WHEREAS, Designating a specific day to honor the Romanian
14	blouse provides an opportunity for residents of this
15	Commonwealth to commemorate and showcase this integral part of
16	Romanian culture; and
17	WHEREAS, It is essential to recognize and celebrate the

1 cultural diversity of this Commonwealth and its residents; and 2 WHEREAS, The first "Universal Day of the Romanian Blouse" was 3 designated on June 24, 2013, by the online community La Blouse 4 Roumaine; therefore be it

5 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate June 6 24, 2024, as "Universal Day of the Romanian Blouse" in 7 Pennsylvania.