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H. J. RES. 182

To designate the week of April 17–24, 1994, as “Nancy Moore Thurmond National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week”.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 21, 1993

Mr. SPENCE (for himself, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. RAVENEL, and Mr. CLYBURN) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service

JOINT RESOLUTION

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Whereas Nancy Moore Thurmond was suddenly taken from us in the prime of her life;

Whereas in an attempt to honor those causes for which Nancy Moore Thurmond was associated, namely the championing of children’s causes;

Whereas a new patient is added to the national patient waiting list for an organ transplant every 20 minutes;

Whereas thousands of lives are saved or significantly improved annually by organ and tissue transplantation; and

Whereas increasing the number of organs which can be transplanted, as well as tissues, would save American taxpayers millions of dollars: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the week of April 17–24, 1994, is designated “Nancy
4 Moore Thurmond National Organ and Tissue Donor
5 Awareness Week”, and the President is authorized and re-
6 quested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people
7 of the United States to observe the week with appropriate
8 programs, ceremonies, and activities.

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