

House Concurrent Resolution No. 27

93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT

Relating to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer 3-Day Walk.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Whereas, the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer 3-Day Walk in Kansas City is part of a nationwide series of sixty-mile walks that raise millions of dollars for the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation and National Philanthropic Trust Breast Cancer Fund; and

Whereas, these foundations support cutting edge breast cancer research, prevention, and treatment programs; and

Whereas, one of the keys to the success of the 3-Day Walk is the 100 person all volunteer medical team to provide medical services for the participants; and

Whereas, the volunteer medical team includes physicians, nurses, physical therapists, chiropractors, and certified athletic trainers who treat a variety of medical conditions, such as blisters, musculoskeletal injuries, environmental stress, and medical illness throughout the event; and

Whereas, part of the challenge each year is recruiting medical volunteers for the event. Currently, medical volunteers must be licensed in the State of Missouri to participate; and

Whereas, other states have enacted legislation allowing medical professionals licensed and in good standing in other states to participate in the 3-Day Walk event; and

22 **Whereas**, granting a temporary waiver of the Missouri licensure requirements for
23 an event such as the 3-Day Walk in Kansas City will allow event organizers to utilize medical
24 professionals from both Missouri and Kansas to staff their 100 person volunteer medical team:
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26 **Now, therefore, be it resolved** that the members of the House of
27 Representatives of the Ninety-third General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate
28 concurring therein, hereby permit any person appointed by the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer
29 3-Day Walk in Kansas City to provide professional medical services to provide such services
30 during the period of September 14, 2006, to September 17, 2006, if such person is licensed to
31 practice and is in good standing in another state or territory; and
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33 **Be it further resolved** that this resolution be sent to the Governor for his
34 approval or rejection pursuant to the Missouri Constitution.