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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2021

J O I N T R E S O L U T I O N

**MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$200,000 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO
AID IN THE FIGHT AGAINST ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA**

Introduced By: Representative Joseph M. McNamara

Date Introduced: January 22, 2021

Referred To: House Finance

1 RESOLVED, There is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not
2 otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year 2021-2022, an additional sum of two hundred thousand
3 dollars (\$200,000) to the Rhode Island department of health, to establish an Alzheimer's Disease
4 and Dementia Coordinator within the department of health, to establish plans to pursue federal
5 grants and matching funds in regard to Alzheimer's Disease and dementia, and to undertake a
6 campaign to promote increased awareness of the nature of, the warning signs of, and treatment
7 options and other resources available, in regard to Alzheimer's Disease. The state controller is
8 hereby authorized and directed to draw orders upon the general treasurer for the payment of said
9 sum, or so much thereof as may be from time to time required, upon receipt of properly
10 authenticated vouchers.

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EXPLANATION
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- 1 This resolution would authorize the appropriation of the sum of \$200,000 in a fiscal year
- 2 2021-2022, to establish an Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Coordinator.

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