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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012

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

**PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 15, 2012, AS "RHODE ISLAND MINORITY CONTRACTORS
ASSOCIATION DAY"**

Introduced By: Representatives Costa, Ehrhardt, and Hull

Date Introduced: February 15, 2012

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, The need for minority business to unify, collaborate, and become one entity
2 is more imperative now than ever before; and

3 WHEREAS, The Rhode Island Minority Contractors Association strives to reduce and
4 remove barriers to full equality, helping to bring about wider procurement and increased business
5 opportunities for members and minority contractors everywhere; and

6 WHEREAS, The spirit of unity and collective voice are the shared beliefs upon which the
7 Rhode Island Minority Contractors Association promotes the economic and legal interests of
8 minority contracting firms; and

9 WHEREAS, The Rhode Island Minority Contractors Association sets an example for the
10 people of Rhode Island through its mission of "collaboration, not competition," and by urging
11 that their communities collaborate on projects to benefit all citizens; now, therefore be it

12 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
13 Providence Plantations hereby encourages and applauds the efforts of the Rhode Island Minority
14 Contractors Association, its affiliations, and its mission, as it provides a forum for sharing
15 information and mutual support; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That this House hereby recognizes February 15, 2012, as "Rhode Island
17 Minority Contractors Association Day," and urges all citizens to join in the celebration of the
18 profound effect that minority owned companies have had, and will have in the future, in the State
19 of Rhode Island; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and he hereby is authorized and directed to
2 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Tracey McHue of the Rhode Island Minority
3 Contractors Association.

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