



2011 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 75

November 10, 2011 – Introduced by Representative STEINBRINK, cosponsored by Senator WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1 **Relating to:** proclaiming November 10, 2011, to be Worldwide NET Cancer
2 Awareness Day.

3 Whereas, the incidence of neuroendocrine tumors, difficult to detect and
4 diagnose, is on the rise globally, with around 11,000 people diagnosed nationally each
5 year; and

6 Whereas, according to the the Worldwide NET Cancer Awareness Campaign,
7 neuroendocrine tumors (NETs) often develop into cancer and, if left untreated, can
8 result in serious illness and death; and

9 Whereas, the NET Cancer Awareness Campaign notes that neuroendocrine
10 tumors can manifest myriad clinical symptoms, many of which are nonspecific and
11 vague; and

12 Whereas, early and accurate diagnosis, recognition of the malignant and
13 metastatic potential of neuroendocrine tumors, and access to treatment is vital to
14 survival for NET cancer patients; and

