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LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION commending the Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network upon the occasion of its 20th Annual Conference, held in March of 2013, in Uniondale, New York

WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize that the quality and character of life in the communities across New York State are reflective of the concerned and dedicated efforts of organizations and individuals who devote themselves to the welfare of the community and its citizenry; and

WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and fully in accord with its long-standing traditions, it is the sense of this Legislative Body to commend the Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network upon the occasion of its 20th Annual Conference, held in March of 2013 in Uniondale, New York; and

WHEREAS, The Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network was founded in 1992, and incorporated in 1995; its mission is to gather and disseminate information, to promote awareness and research and to provide support to their members; and

WHEREAS, The Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network develops educational materials, pamphlets, slides, and articles to help both families and professionals understand the needs created by this syndrome, and publishes a newsletter twice yearly highlighting new information and achievements; and

WHEREAS, The Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network Conference adopted its theme of "Dare to be Rare!"; and

WHEREAS, The Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network holds a Family Conference for three days in Long Island, New York, in which participants who are actively involved in the research, spend time with the public and explain the research findings for the year; and

WHEREAS, This Legislative Body has come together to recognize the

people of the Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network who tirelessly work to improve the quality of life of their members; and

WHEREAS, It is the custom of this Legislative Body that those who enhance the well-being and vitality of their community and have shown a long and sustained commitment to excellence certainly have earned the recognition and applause of all the citizens of this great Empire State; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to commend the Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network upon the occasion of its 20th Annual Conference; and be further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to the Hermansky-Pudlak Syndrome Network.