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Whereas a new patient is added to the national patient waiting list for an organ transplant every 20 minutes;

Whereas thousands of lives are saved or significantly improved annually by organ and tissue transplantation; and

Whereas increasing the number of transplantable organs and tissues would save American taxpayers millions of dollars:
Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the weeks beginning April 18, 1993, and April 17,
4 1994, are each designated “National Organ and Tissue
5 Donor Awareness Week”, and the President is authorized
6 and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the

- 1 people of the United States to observe such weeks with
- 2 appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

Passed the Senate April 7 (legislative day, March 3),
1993.

Attest:

Secretary.