

Public Law 99-99  
99th Congress

## Joint Resolution

To designate the month of September 1985 as "National Sewing Month".

Sept. 26, 1985

[S.J. Res. 173]

Whereas the sewing industry annually honors the approximately fifty million people who sew at home and the approximately forty million people who sew at least part of their wardrobe;

Whereas the home sewing industry generates over \$3,500,000,000 annually for the economy of the United States; and

Whereas innumerable careers in fashion, retail merchandising, design, patternmaking, and textiles have had their genesis in the home and in elementary school home economics classes: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the month of September 1985 is designated "National Sewing Month". The President is requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe that month with appropriate ceremonies and activities.

Approved September 26, 1985.

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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—S.J. Res. 173:

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Sept. 13, considered and passed Senate.

Sept. 19, considered and passed House.