## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY RICHARDSON, IRVIS, WIGGINS, DEAL, CARN, PRESTON, WILLIAMS, DeWEESE, FATTAH, FREEMAN, WAMBACH AND R. C. WRIGHT, APRIL 13, 1983

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## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Protesting the sale of South African gold currency within the 2 Commonwealth.
- 3 WHEREAS, Despite the fact that over 80% of its population is
- 4 nonwhite, the Republic of South Africa rigidly pursues the
- 5 repressive policy of apartheid, a system of racial segregation
- 6 intended to promote and maintain white ascendancy; and
- 7 WHEREAS, A well-financed advertising campaign is in progress
- 8 in Pennsylvania and throughout the United States promoting the
- 9 sale of South Africa's gold Krugerrand coin; and
- 10 WHEREAS, The General Assembly staunchly endorses the
- 11 principle of equal rights for all persons and is concerned that
- 12 its citizens may not be aware that purchase of the Krugerrand
- 13 contributes to the support of the cruel apartheid policies of
- 14 the Republic of South Africa; therefore be it
- 15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the
- 16 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby protest the sale of Republic
- 17 of South Africa gold currency in the Commonwealth and urge the

- 1 citizens of this Commonwealth not to purchase the Krugerrand
- 2 coin.