

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2698 Session of
1982

INTRODUCED BY GALLEN, HONAMAN AND SIRIANNI, SEPTEMBER 28, 1982

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, SEPTEMBER 28, 1982

AN ACT

1 Repealing section 4, act of November 16, 1959 (P.L.1509,
2 No.528), entitled "An act authorizing the Pennsylvania
3 Department of Property and Supplies, acting for the
4 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to acquire by gift from the
5 Borough of Northumberland that certain tract of land in
6 Northumberland Borough, County of Northumberland, upon which
7 is located the home of Joseph Priestley and which is now the
8 property of the Borough of Northumberland; providing for the
9 control, management, supervision, improvement and maintenance
10 thereof by the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission;
11 authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission
12 to make and enforce rules and regulations for the
13 preservation, maintenance and visitation thereof; authorizing
14 the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission to accept
15 in trust from the American Chemical Society and other
16 interested societies or individuals such moneys as they may
17 see fit to present to the Commonwealth to assist in the
18 maintenance and development of this property as a permanent
19 memorial; authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum
20 Commission to accept as gifts or loans such books,
21 manuscripts, pamphlets, relics and furniture as interested
22 societies or individuals may provide for enhancing the
23 interests of this property as a museum of science; creating
24 an advisory board to assist in such functions and making an
25 appropriation," relating to the advisory board.

26 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
27 hereby enacts as follows:

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2 of Pennsylvania, to acquire by gift from the Borough of
3 Northumberland that certain tract of land in Northumberland
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5 home of Joseph Priestley and which is now the property of the
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15 to assist in the maintenance and development of this property as
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17 and Museum Commission to accept as gifts or loans such books,
18 manuscripts, pamphlets, relics and furniture as interested
19 societies or individuals may provide for enhancing the interests
20 of this property as a museum of science; creating an advisory
21 board to assist in such functions and making an appropriation,"
22 is repealed.

23 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 30 days.