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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 184

Session of  
1975

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INTRODUCED BY REED, HEPFORD, TAYOUN, SCHWEDER, GEORGE, RITTER,  
PRATT, KOWALYSHYN AND PERRY, FEBRUARY 3, 1975

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, FEBRUARY 3, 1975

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AN ACT

1 Authorizing the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission to  
2 acquire by gift on behalf of the Commonwealth the real  
3 property connected with the Fort Hunter Museum in Susquehanna  
4 Township, Dauphin County, providing for its control,  
5 management, supervision, restoration, improvement and  
6 maintenance; and receipt of certain funds in connection  
7 therewith.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. The Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission  
11 is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire, by gift, on  
12 behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania the Fort Hunter  
13 Museum and certain land connected thereto in Susquehanna  
14 Township, Dauphin County.

15 Section 2. The title to the property shall be taken in the  
16 name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, shall be free of all  
17 liens and encumbrances and shall before its acceptance be  
18 approved by the Department of Justice.

19 Section 3. Upon acquiring the title aforesaid, the  
20 Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission shall be given

1 full control, management and supervision thereof, and shall have  
2 power to adopt and carry into effect plans for the restoration,  
3 improvement and maintenance of the property, and to make and  
4 enforce rules and regulations for the preservation of the  
5 property and the visitation thereof by the public.

6 Section 4. The Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission  
7 is hereby authorized to accept, in trust, as provided by law,  
8 from the Fort Hunter Foundation and other interested entities or  
9 individuals such moneys as they may present to the Commonwealth  
10 to assist in the development of this property as a permanent  
11 historical site.

12 Section 5. This act shall take effect immediately.