

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 592

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INTRODUCED BY BERSON, RHODES AND SCIRICA, MARCH 9, 1977

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, MARCH 9, 1977

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), entitled
 2 "An act relating to the manufacture, sale and possession of
 3 controlled substances, other drugs, devices and cosmetics;
 4 conferring powers on the courts and the secretary and
 5 Department of Health, and a newly created Pennsylvania Drug,
 6 Device and Cosmetic Board; establishing schedules of
 7 controlled substances; providing penalties; requiring
 8 registration of persons engaged in the drug trade and for the
 9 revocation or suspension of certain licenses and
 10 registrations; and repealing an act," further providing for a
 11 reduction in certain penalties.

12 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
 13 hereby enacts as follows:

14 Section 1. Subsection (g) of section 13, act of April 14,
 15 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as "The Controlled Substance, Drug,
 16 Device and Cosmetic Act," is amended to read:

17 Section 13. Prohibited Acts; Penalties.--* * *

18 (g) Any person who violates clause (31) of subsection (a)
 19 [is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be
 20 sentenced to imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or to pay a
 21 fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500), or both] shall
 22 pay a civil fine not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100). The
 23 liability for and the imposition of such civil fine shall be

1 determined and imposed in accordance with procedures established
2 by the Pennsylvania Supreme Court.

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4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.