

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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# HOUSE RESOLUTION

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A RESOLUTION

1 Urging the Department of Environmental Resources to adopt  
2 regulations relating to the transportation and storage of  
3 road salt.

4 Presently the Department of Environmental Resources has no  
5 regulations governing the transportation and storage of road  
6 salt even though salt pollution has caused some very serious  
7 problems in this Commonwealth; and

8 At least three different cases resulting from the Department  
9 of Transportation's road salt storage exist, with over a dozen  
10 wells contaminated. There are also several more cases involving  
11 local municipality's storage of road salt. It can be shown that  
12 salt from road salt storage areas has contaminated wells up to a  
13 quarter of a mile away from the storage area; and

14 Regulations should be adopted to control this serious  
15 problem; therefore be it

16 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives urge the  
17 Department of Environmental Resources to adopt regulations  
18 relating to the transportation and storage of road salt; and be

1 it further

2 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the  
3 Secretary of Environmental Resources.