

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2417 Session of 1990

INTRODUCED BY BOWLEY, PRESSMANN, VEON, CAPPABIANCA, COLAIZZO,
VAN HORNE, BELFANTI, SAURMAN, PISTELLA, LAUGHLIN, CAWLEY,
SERAFINI, MORRIS, PESCI, NOYE, JOHNSON, BUNT, GEIST, MELIO,
RUDY, MICHLOVIC, RYBAK, HOWLETT AND McHALE, APRIL 2, 1990

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, APRIL 2, 1990

A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth
2 of Pennsylvania, providing for qualifications of the State
3 Treasurer and Auditor General.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby resolves as follows:

6 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of
7 Pennsylvania is proposed in accordance with Article XI:

8 That section 5 of Article IV be amended to read:

9 § 5. Qualifications of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State
10 Treasurer, Auditor General and Attorney General.

11 No person shall be eligible to the office of Governor,
12 Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, Auditor General or
13 Attorney General except a citizen of the United States, who
14 shall have attained the age of 30 years, and have been seven
15 years next preceding his election an inhabitant of this
16 Commonwealth, unless he shall have been absent on the public
17 business of the United States or of this Commonwealth. No person

1 shall be eligible to the office of Attorney General except a
2 member of the bar of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

3 Section 2. This proposed amendment shall be submitted by the
4 Secretary of the Commonwealth to the qualified electors of this
5 Commonwealth, at the primary, general or municipal election next
6 held after the advertising requirements of section 1 of Article
7 XI of the Constitution of Pennsylvania have been satisfied.