
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 285 Session of
1990

INTRODUCED BY NOYE, CAPPABIANCA, DORR, COY, FARGO, ALLEN,
MRKONIC, JACKSON, BILLOW, HERMAN, JOHNSON, NAILOR,
D. F. CLARK, CIVERA, PITTS, MORRIS, TRELLO, SEMMEL, SCHEETZ,
CLYMER, DEMPSEY, MERRY, CESSAR, BUNT, BURD, MAINE, GEIST,
BARLEY, McHALE AND J. H. CLARK, MARCH 26, 1990

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MARCH 26, 1990

A RESOLUTION

1 Urging the Secretary of Commerce to institute a "Century
2 Business Recognition Program" to honor Pennsylvania
3 businesses.

4 WHEREAS, Private businesses have played a tremendously vital
5 role in the growth and development of this Commonwealth; and

6 WHEREAS, Private businesses have provided and continue to
7 provide employment opportunities for hundreds of thousands of
8 Pennsylvania citizens; and

9 WHEREAS, Private businesses have also provided the Federal,
10 State and local governments with the strong tax base upon which
11 a multitude of governmental operations and programs look for
12 financial sustenance; and

13 WHEREAS, Private businesses have become increasingly subject
14 to regulatory controls and procedures by government; and

15 WHEREAS, Despite this increased intrusion of government into
16 the operation of private businesses, the private business
17 community has continued to grow and prosper and provide

1 employment for the citizens of this Commonwealth; therefore be
2 it

3 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives urge the
4 Secretary of Commerce to institute a "Century Business
5 Recognition Program" whereby businesses that have been in
6 existence for at least 100 years would receive special
7 recognition from the Commonwealth; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That the Secretary adopt and implement all
9 necessary rules and regulations to effectuate the intent of this
10 resolution; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to
12 the Secretary of Commerce.