
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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LANGTRY, APRIL 18, 1990

ADOPTED, APRIL 18, 1990

A RESOLUTION

1 Designating the week of April 22 through April 28, 1990, as
2 "Victim Rights Week" in Pennsylvania.

3 WHEREAS, All Pennsylvanians, regardless of gender, race, age
4 or economic status, may be victims of sexual violence or
5 domestic violence during their lives; and

6 WHEREAS, Victims of sexual violence or domestic violence
7 should have full access to services and programs which provide
8 short- and long-term assistance for victimization recovery; and

9 WHEREAS, In 1989, Pennsylvania's rape crisis centers assisted
10 over 24,000 victims of sexual violence; and

11 WHEREAS, Last year, over 70,000 victims of domestic violence
12 were aided by Pennsylvania domestic violence service providers;
13 and

1 WHEREAS, The Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape and the
2 Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence and their
3 service providers have played a vital role in the Commonwealth's
4 commitment to providing services to and protecting the rights of
5 victims of sexual violence and of domestic violence; therefore
6 be it

7 Resolved, That the House of Representatives hereby designate
8 the week of April 22 through April 28, 1990, as "Victim Rights
9 Week" in Pennsylvania.