

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, MARCH 2, 1977

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 28, 1953 (P.L.676, No.210), entitled
2 "An act providing for the observance of March fifteenth of
3 each year as Charter Day," changing the date of the
4 observance.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. The title and section 1, act of July 28, 1953
8 (P.L.676, No.210), entitled "An act providing for the observance
9 of March fifteenth of each year as Charter Day," are amended to
10 read:

AN ACT

12 Providing for the observance of March [fifteenth] fourteenth of
13 each year as Charter Day.

14 Section 1. The Governor shall issue annually his
15 Proclamation designating and setting apart March [fifteenth]
16 fourteenth as Charter Day and calling upon the people of the
17 Commonwealth, the public schools and other educational
18 institutions and patriotic, religious, historical and veterans'

1 organizations to observe the anniversary of the execution of the
2 Royal Charter by King Charles II on the [fifteenth] fourteenth
3 day of March, one thousand six hundred eighty-one, thereby
4 creating the corporate legal existence of Pennsylvania, with
5 appropriate exercises and programs, to the end that the
6 establishment or birthday of Pennsylvania shall be commemorated
7 each year.

8 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.