THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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AN ACT

- 1 Requiring that certain information be conspicuously displayed in 2 nursing homes.
- 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 4 hereby enacts as follows:
- 5 Section 1. As used in this act, "nursing home" means any
- 6 premises operated for profit in which nursing care and related
- 7 medical or other health services are provided, for a period
- 8 exceeding 24 hours, for two or more individuals, who are not
- 9 relatives of the operator, who are not acutely ill and not in
- 10 need of hospitalization, but who, because of age, illness,
- 11 disease, injury, convalescence or physical or mental infirmity
- 12 need such care.
- 13 Section 2. There shall be displayed in a conspicuous
- 14 location in every nursing home a notice which shall contain
- 15 information regarding the services provided by the Governor's
- 16 Action Center together with the toll-free telephone number of
- 17 such center.

1 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.