

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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HOEFFEL, B. F. O'BRIEN AND SCHMITT, MARCH 18, 1980

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AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
AS AMENDED, APRIL 29, 1980

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In the House of Representatives, March 18, 1980

1 WHEREAS, The House Select Committee - TMI found that during  
2 the period immediately following the incident at Three Mile  
3 Island, there was a minor run on the banks in the vicinity of  
4 TMI by persons desiring to obtain funds for use in case of  
5 evacuation; and

6 WHEREAS, The committee concluded that, should an evacuation  
7 have been ordered, many persons would not have been able to  
8 obtain their funds from banks in the evacuated area; and

9 WHEREAS, The committee concluded that it would impose extreme  
10 hardship on the evacuated citizens to live at relocation points  
11 without financial capability; and

12 WHEREAS, The committee concluded that those persons required  
13 to relocate in the event of an evacuation would need financial  
14 resources for daily living expenses; therefore be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives urge the Governor  
16 of the Commonwealth and the Department of Banking to investigate

1 the establishment of a records system that would permit persons  
2 suddenly relocated as the result of a nuclear accident to draw  
3 upon their funds in their local banks through banks in the  
4 relocation area; and be it further

5       RESOLVED, THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REQUESTS THE  
6 GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH AND THE SECRETARY OF THE  
7 PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF BANKING TO INDICATE TO THE CHAIRMAN  
8 OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THREE MILE ISLAND, IN WRITING WITHIN  
9 30 DAYS FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION, THE  
10 STATUS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS SET FORTH HEREIN; AND BE IT  
11 FURTHER

12       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives urge the Congress  
13 to investigate the establishment of an emergency loan program  
14 for the use of persons required to relocated as the result of a  
15 nuclear or other emergency; and be it further

16       RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to  
17 the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Secretary  
18 of Banking and the presiding officers of the House of  
19 Representatives and the Senate of the United States Congress.