
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MAY 4, 1987

A RESOLUTION

1 Directing the Mines and Energy Management Committee to conduct a
2 study relating to the anthracite coal industry.

3 WHEREAS, The anthracite coal industry has always played an
4 important role in the economy of this Commonwealth; and

5 WHEREAS, The anthracite coal industry is in a state of
6 decline; and

7 WHEREAS, The economy of this Commonwealth will be
8 substantially benefited by a resurgence in our anthracite coal
9 industry through increased production and employment; therefore
10 be it

11 RESOLVED, That the Mines and Energy Management Committee of
12 the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
13 be directed to establish a special select committee and study
14 the State and Federal regulations that currently affect the
15 anthracite coal industry for the purpose of making the following
16 determinations:

17 (1) Do the Commonwealth regulations exceed the

1 requirements of the Federal regulations?

2 (2) If the Commonwealth regulations exceed the
3 requirements of the Federal regulations, are the Commonwealth
4 regulations needed?

5 (3) Is it possible to reduce the regulation burden that
6 has been imposed upon the anthracite coal industry?

7 and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That the committee report its findings to the House
9 of Representatives as soon as possible.