

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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# HOUSE RESOLUTION

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INTRODUCED BY GODSHALL, D. W. SNYDER, DIETTERICK, DISTLER,  
CARLSON, MORRIS, PITTS AND LEH, SEPTEMBER 29, 1987

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, SEPTEMBER 30, 1987

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A RESOLUTION

1 Requesting the President and Congress to take the appropriate  
2 action to stop supplying any kind of funding, aid or trade to  
3 the Soviet Union and to all other Communist nations.

4 WHEREAS, The President and Congress possess constitutionally  
5 mandated authority to stop the sale and licensing for sale of  
6 American equipment, supplies and technology to the Soviet Union  
7 and other nations in the Communist bloc; and

8 WHEREAS, The President and Congress have the authority to  
9 stop all loans, credits and rescheduling of debts with all  
10 Communist nations and the authority to end all pacts that lead  
11 to indirect American financing of Communist nations; and

12 WHEREAS, The people of the United States are being taxed  
13 approximately \$300 billion annually to defend our nation against  
14 a Communist military might that has largely been built with  
15 American aid and trade; and

16 WHEREAS, The termination of these various types of aid and  
17 trade to the Soviet Union and all other Communist nations would  
18 reduce the potential for nuclear war by denying these potential

1 adversaries vital funding, equipment and technology; therefore  
2 be it

3       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the  
4 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania respectfully request the President  
5 of the United States and the United States Congress to take the  
6 appropriate action to stop supplying any kind of funding, aid or  
7 trade to the Soviet Union and to all other Communist nations;  
8 and be it further

9       RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to  
10 the President of the United States, to the presiding officers of  
11 each house of Congress and to each member of Congress from  
12 Pennsylvania.