

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

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McVERRY, LASHINGER, ACOSTA, FOX, PETRARCA, DeLUCA, HESS AND
CARLSON, JUNE 30, 1988

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, JULY 5, 1988

A RESOLUTION

1 Directing the Chairman of the House Labor Relations Committee to
2 appoint an ad hoc subcommittee to investigate the closing of
3 itinerant points by the Office of Employment Security of the
4 Department of Labor and Industry.

5 WHEREAS, The Office of Employment Security of the Department
6 of Labor and Industry has closed many itinerant points
7 throughout the Commonwealth which provided services to
8 unemployed persons in less populated areas; and

9 WHEREAS, The closing of these local offices has caused a
10 hardship on the persons formerly served by them; and

11 WHEREAS, Many letters and petitions have been received urging
12 that the itinerant points be reopened; and

13 WHEREAS, The Office of Employment Security has nonetheless
14 refused to reopen the itinerant points; therefore be it

15 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives direct the
16 Chairman of the House Labor Relations Committee to appoint an ad
17 hoc subcommittee to investigate the closing of itinerant points

1 by the Office of Employment Security to determine whether the
2 closings are in the best interest of the Commonwealth; and be it
3 further

4 RESOLVED, That the subcommittee may hold hearings, take
5 testimony and make its investigations at such places as it deems
6 necessary in this Commonwealth. Each member of the subcommittee
7 shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to
8 witnesses appearing before the subcommittee; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That the subcommittee make a report of its findings
10 and recommendations to the House of Representatives as soon as
11 practicable.