

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 335 Session of  
1996

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RUBLEY, ITKIN AND ROBERTS, APRIL 9, 1996

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35,  
APRIL 9, 1996

## A RESOLUTION

1 Designating April 22, 1996, as "Earth Day" in Pennsylvania.

2 WHEREAS, Each year on April 22 the nation and the world  
3 celebrate "Earth Day" in recognition of the need to protect our  
4 environment; and

5 WHEREAS, "Earth Day" is a time to renew our commitment to  
6 protecting the environment as well as to recognize our  
7 accomplishments in environmental protection; and

8 WHEREAS, "Earth Day" is also a time to chart new directions  
9 and build new partnerships in exploring ways to be good stewards  
10 of our environment; and

11 WHEREAS, Significant progress has been made in protecting our  
12 environment and natural resources since the first "Earth Day" 26  
13 years ago; and

1       WHEREAS, This Commonwealth is still confronted with the  
2 complicated environmental problems of global warming, the  
3 generation of toxic wastes and the contamination of groundwater;  
4 therefore be it

5       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives designate April  
6 22, 1996, as "Earth Day" in Pennsylvania; and be it further

7       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives renew its  
8 dedication and commitment to the protection of Pennsylvania's  
9 environment and natural resources.