

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1127 Session of  
2009

INTRODUCED BY STERN, FLECK, REICHLEY, GOODMAN, STEVENSON,  
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HICKERNELL, GINGRICH, GRUCELA, HENNESSEY, GEIST, KAUFFMAN,  
K. SMITH, MOUL, RAPP, SWANGER, MURT, ROCK AND YOUNGBLOOD,  
MARCH 26, 2009

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY  
PREPAREDNESS, MARCH 26, 2009

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania  
2 Consolidated Statutes, defining the offense of harassment of  
3 soldier or veteran.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes  
7 is amended by adding a section to read:

8 § 2703.2. Aggravated harassment of soldier or veteran.

9 A person commits a felony of the third degree if he, knowing  
10 or believing a person to be a soldier or veteran, intentionally  
11 or knowingly causes or attempts to cause the person to come into  
12 contact with blood, seminal fluid, saliva, urine or feces by  
13 throwing, tossing, spitting or expelling such fluid or material.

14 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.