
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 17

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INTRODUCED BY COHEN, HARPER, McVERRY, WAMBACH, NAHILL,
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O'DONNELL, McHALE, WACHOB, MORRIS, HOFFEL, BARBER,
RICHARDSON, HALUSKA, PRESTON AND EVANS, FEBRUARY 7, 1983

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FEDERAL-STATE-RELATIONS,
FEBRUARY 8, 1983

A RESOLUTION

1 Urging Congress to pass the Equal Rights Amendment.

2 WHEREAS, Equal rights for women should be constitutionally
3 guaranteed; and

4 WHEREAS, There still exists today discriminatory practices
5 against women in this society; and

6 WHEREAS, Thirty-five states ratified the original Equal
7 Rights Amendment; and

8 WHEREAS, The overwhelming majority of Americans continue to
9 support an Equal Rights Amendment to our Constitution; and

10 WHEREAS, The Equal Rights Amendment was reintroduced in the
11 Congress of the United States on January 3, 1983; therefore be
12 it

13 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the
14 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby urges the Congress of the
15 United States to expeditiously pass the Equal Rights Amendment

1 so that the process of state ratification can begin as quickly
2 as possible; and be it further

3 RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be immediately
4 transmitted to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the
5 President pro tempore of the Senate and to each member of
6 Congress from Pennsylvania.