

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY REBER, VROON, PERZEL, SCHEETZ, WOGAN, DEMPSEY,
TIGUE, MRKONIC, BUNT, CORRIGAN, NOYE, ANGSTADT, E. Z. TAYLOR,
HERMAN, LEH, JOHNSON AND GANNON, FEBRUARY 14, 1989

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, FEBRUARY 14, 1989

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, providing for exposure to acquired
3 immune deficiency syndrome.

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

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

8 § 3129. Exposure to acquired immune deficiency syndrome.

9 (a) Offense defined.--An individual who is a carrier of the
10 human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) commits a misdemeanor of the
11 first degree when the individual, with knowledge of being a
12 carrier of the human immunodeficiency virus, does all of the
13 following:

14 (1) Engages in sexual intercourse with a partner.

15 (2) Does not, prior to engaging in sexual intercourse
16 under paragraph (1), notify the partner that the individual
17 is a carrier of the human immunodeficiency virus.

18 (b) Penalty.--Upon conviction of an offense under subsection

1 (a), the individual shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more
2 than \$3,000 or to imprisonment for not more than three years, or
3 both.

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