

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1387 Session of
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INTRODUCED BY BLAUM, MELIO, DERMODY, HECKLER, TIGUE, BELARDI,
MAIALE, VEON, GERLACH, BIRMELIN, HARPER, CAPPABIANCA, BARLEY,
LEH, JOHNSON, VROON AND ANGSTADT, MAY 13, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MAY 13, 1991

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the offense of
3 prostitution and related offenses.

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

6 Section 1. Section 5902(e) of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 5902. Prostitution and related offenses.

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10 (e) Patronizing prostitutes.--A person commits a summary
11 offense if he hires a prostitute or any other person who is 16
12 years of age or older to engage in sexual activity with him, or
13 if he enters or remains in a house of prostitution for the
14 purpose of engaging in sexual activity. A person commits a
15 misdemeanor of the third degree if the person hires a prostitute
16 or any other person who is under 16 years of age, whether or not
17 the person is aware of the age of the child.

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