

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 279 Session of
1992

INTRODUCED BY SAURMAN, COLAIZZO, GERLACH, PESCI, VANCE, TIGUE,
HAYES, COY, HASAY, BATTISTO, PHILLIPS, ARMSTRONG, CARLSON,
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BROWN, GAMBLE, GEIST, HERMAN, DeLUCA, D. W. SNYDER, BARLEY,
ARGALL, STABACK, GLADECK, JOHNSON, CORRIGAN, NYCE, HALUSKA,
COLAFELLA, KING, PETRARCA, CLARK, E. Z. TAYLOR, TRELLO, FAJT,
LaGROTTA AND LEH, MARCH 17, 1992

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MARCH 17, 1992

A RESOLUTION

1 Declaring the Commonwealth's support of our "National Day of
2 Prayer" on May 7, 1992.

3 WHEREAS, The Pledge of Allegiance to our flag describes us as
4 "one Nation, under God ..."; and

5 WHEREAS, Our coins proudly proclaim "In God We Trust"; and

6 WHEREAS, Our forefathers unashamedly acknowledged their
7 dependency upon a "Supreme Creator"; and

8 WHEREAS, History has recorded Benjamin Franklin's request for
9 "Divine Guidance" over the deliberations of the Constitutional
10 Convention in Philadelphia; and

11 WHEREAS, The Congress of these United States and the
12 Pennsylvania General Assembly continue that tradition of
13 beginning all sessions with a prayer and the Pledge of
14 Allegiance; and

1 WHEREAS, The signs of moral decay rampant within our land
2 portray the ills of a "Godless Society"; and

3 WHEREAS, May 7, 1992, has been designated as a "National Day
4 of Prayer"; therefore be it

5 RESOLVED, That the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania lend its
6 support to this call for direction and unity in prayer; and be
7 it further

8 RESOLVED, That this prayer for a moral rebirth throughout our
9 Nation be expressed from 12:20 p.m. to 12:40 p.m. on Thursday,
10 May 7, 1992.