## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE BILL No. 2011 Session of 2007

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## AN ACT

Amending the act of May 2, 1947 (P.L.143, No.62), entitled "An

2 act regulating the sale and resale for profit and the 3 carrying on of the business of selling or reselling tickets or other devices for admission to places of amusement; 5 providing for the licensing of persons reselling such tickets 6 for profit; providing for the suspension and revocation of 7 such licenses; imposing duties on licensees and owners or operators of places of amusement; imposing powers and duties 8 on the Department of Revenue, county treasurers, district 9 attorneys, and the receiver of taxes, and city solicitors in 10 11 cities of the first class; making disposition of moneys 12 collected and providing penalties, "further providing for 13 definitions; and providing for ticket purchasing software. 14 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 15 hereby enacts as follows: 16 Section 1. Section 1 of the act of May 2, 1947 (P.L.143, 17 No.62), entitled "An act regulating the sale and resale for profit and the carrying on of the business of selling or 18 reselling tickets or other devices for admission to places of 19 20 amusement; providing for the licensing of persons reselling such tickets for profit; providing for the suspension and revocation 21 22 of such licenses; imposing duties on licensees and owners or

- 1 operators of places of amusement; imposing powers and duties on
- 2 the Department of Revenue, county treasurers, district
- 3 attorneys, and the receiver of taxes, and city solicitors in
- 4 cities of the first class; making disposition of moneys
- 5 collected and providing penalties," is amended by adding a
- 6 definition to read:
- 7 Section 1. Definitions.--
- 8 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall
- 9 have the meanings ascribed to them in this section:
- 10 \* \* \*
- 11 (12) "Ticket purchasing software." Computer software used
- 12 to purchase multiple tickets in an automated fashion from an
- 13 Internet website which sells tickets to amusements or places of
- 14 amusement.
- 15 Section 2. The act is amended by adding a section to read:
- 16 <u>Section 12.1. Ticket Purchasing Software; Violation.--</u>
- 17 It shall be unlawful for any person to use ticket purchasing
- 18 software in purchasing tickets from an Internet website selling
- 19 tickets to amusements or places of amusement.
- 20 Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.