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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 547 Session of  
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INTRODUCED BY PAYNE, BAKER, BARRAR, BELFANTI, BEYER, BOYD,  
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SCAVELLO, SIPTROTH, SOLOBAY, STERN, SWANGER, TRUE, VULAKOVICH  
AND WANSACZ, FEBRUARY 23, 2009

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, FEBRUARY 23,  
2009

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AN ACT

1 Prohibiting the use of full Social Security numbers on State  
2 forms.

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

5 Section 1. Short title.

6 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Social  
7 Security Number Prohibition Act.

8 Section 2. Use of full Social Security numbers prohibited.

9 Except as required by Federal law or regulation and except as  
10 provided in section 3 and notwithstanding any other law to the  
11 contrary, no person shall be required to provide more than the  
12 last four digits of his Social Security number on any form  
13 required by a State governmental entity.

14 Section 3. Exceptions.

1 This act shall not apply to:

2 (1) Forms required by the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6,  
3 No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971.

4 (2) Any other form utilized in connection with the  
5 collection of State taxes.

6 Section 4. Effective date.

7 This act shall take effect in 90 days.