

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY METZGAR, RAPP, IRVIN, REESE, SNYDER, BURNS, GROVE,
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CULVER, SANKEY, GILLEN AND MASSER, OCTOBER 17, 2018

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, OCTOBER 17, 2018

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 61 (Prisons and Parole) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in general administration, providing
3 for guard and magazine capacity requirement.

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

6 Section 1. Title 61 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
7 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

8 § 1106. Guard and magazine capacity requirement.

9 A correctional institution shall require two correctional
10 facility employees or two detention facility per guard tower or
11 observational unit who shall be armed with an autoloading rifle
12 with a minimum capacity of 500 preloaded rounds per rifle.

13 Section 2. Any and all regulations are abrogated insofar as
14 they are inconsistent with this act.

15 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.