

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 848 Session of  
2017

INTRODUCED BY GREENLEAF, MARTIN, BREWSTER, RAFFERTY, BOSCOLA AND  
MENSCH, AUGUST 29, 2017

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, AUGUST 29, 2017

AN ACT

1 Repealing the act of April 16, 1862 (P.L.538, No.513), entitled  
2 "An act relating to certain Children's Homes."

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

5 Section 1. The act of April 16, 1862 (P.L.538, No.513),  
6 entitled "An act relating to certain Children's Homes," is  
7 repealed:

8 [AN ACT  
9 Relating to certain Children's Homes.

10 Section 1. Commitment of children to certain institutions

11 It shall and may be lawful for any judge, mayor, alderman or  
12 justice of the peace of the City of Philadelphia, to indenture,  
13 bind or commit to the St. John's Orphan Asylum, or the St.  
14 Vincent's Home, located in the City of Philadelphia, orphan,  
15 destitute, abandoned or vagrant children.]

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