

## House of Representatives COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA HARRISBURG

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

Members of the House of Representatives

FROM:

Representative Gerald Mullery

DATE:

December 6, 2010

**SUBJECT:** 

Request for Co-Sponsorship

In the near future, I plan to introduce legislation that repeals various sections of the Public Official Compensation Law (Act 39 of 1983), by eliminating cost-of-living allowances for the Governor, judges, and all members of the General Assembly.

As we are currently in the midst of overcoming the unstable economic climate and a tough state budget that's likely to result in a freeze or cut in funding for critical government services, we have a duty to our constituents to eliminate unnecessary spending. My proposed legislation would enable the citizens of this Commonwealth to utilize our would-be cost-of-living allowances for much needed services.

If you would like to co-sponsor this legislation, please contact me at GMullery@pahouse.net. Thank you.