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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 1564** Session of  
1977

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INTRODUCED BY BRANDT, PRATT, HONAMAN, VROON, M. H. GEORGE,  
PITTS, D. M. O'BRIEN, FREIND, HOPKINS, MILLER, HARPER AND  
REED, JULY 29, 1977

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, JULY 29, 1977

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 27, 1955 (P.L.744, No.222),  
2 entitled, as amended, "An act prohibiting certain practices  
3 of discrimination because of race, color, religious creed,  
4 ancestry, age or national origin by employers, employment  
5 agencies, labor organizations and others as herein defined;  
6 creating the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission in the  
7 Department of Labor and Industry; defining its functions,  
8 powers and duties; providing for procedure and enforcement;  
9 providing for formulation of an educational program to  
10 prevent prejudice; providing for judicial review and  
11 enforcement and imposing penalties," further defining the  
12 term "age."

13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
14 hereby enacts as follows:

15 Section 1. Clause (h) of section 4, act of October 27, 1955  
16 (P.L.744, No.222), known as the "Pennsylvania Human Relations  
17 Act," is amended to read:

18 Section 4. Definitions.--As used in this act unless a  
19 different meaning clearly appears from the context:

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21 (h) The term "age" includes any person [between the ages of  
22 forty and sixty-two inclusive] over the age of forty years.

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