## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 138

Session of 1979

INTRODUCED BY FREIND, LIVENGOOD, ARTY, SCIRICA, E. Z. TAYLOR AND SCHWEDER, OCTOBER 23, 1979

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, OCTOBER 23, 1979

In the House of Representatives, October 23, 1979

- 1 RESOLVED, That the second resolved clause of House Resolution
- 2 No. 82, Printer's No. 1568, adopted June 11, 1979, is amended to
- 3 read:
- 4 RESOLVED, That the committee may hold hearings; take
- 5 testimony and make its inquiries at such places as it deems
- 6 necessary. It may issue subpoenas under the hand and seal of its
- 7 chairman commanding any officer, agent or employee of any State
- 8 or local law enforcement agency, the Department of Public
- 9 Welfare, or any other State or local department or agency
- 10 relevant to the committee's authorized scope of inquiry and
- 11 <u>examination to appear before said committee and answer questions</u>
- 12 touching matters properly being inquired into by the committee
- 13 and to produce such books, papers, records and documents as the
- 14 committee deems necessary. Such subpoenas may be served upon any
- 15 person and shall have the force and effect of subpoenas issued
- 16 out of the courts of this Commonwealth. Any person who willfully
- 17 neglects or refuses to testify before the committee or to

- produce any books, papers, records and documents, shall be 1
- 2 <u>subject to the penalties provided by the laws of the</u>
- 3 <u>Commonwealth in such case. Each member of the committee shall</u>
- 4 <u>have power to administer oaths and affirmations to witnesses</u>
- appearing before the committee; and be it further 5
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