
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 46

Session of
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INTRODUCED BY PETRARCA, RIEGER, DONATUCCI, OLASZ AND MISCEVICH,
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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, MARCH 16, 1983

A RESOLUTION

1 Encouraging the Pennsylvania Bar Association to adopt a trust
2 account income program to further assist indigent residents.

3 WHEREAS, Numerous attacks are being made upon the system that
4 delivers legal services to the indigent. Massive budget cuts at
5 the Federal and State levels are occurring with no alternative
6 options apparent to replace the current system; and

7 WHEREAS, A proposal has been submitted and is being reviewed
8 by the Pennsylvania Bar Association to establish a legal service
9 system funded from interest-bearing trust fund accounts;
10 therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the
12 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania encourage the Pennsylvania Bar
13 Association to adopt a system availing indigent Pennsylvania
14 citizens legal representation through a trust account income
15 program; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the
17 President of the Pennsylvania Bar Association.