

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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# HOUSE BILL

## No. 1626

Session of  
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INTRODUCED BY IRVIS, ITKIN, VROON, DALEY, DEAL, JOHNSON, BLAUM,  
CARN, HALUSKA, GALLAGHER, MICHLOVIC, PISTELLA, GODSHALL,  
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KUKOVICH, PRATT, RYBAK, DAWIDA AND RUDY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1985

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, SEPTEMBER 19, 1985

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AN ACT

1 Repealing certain acts relating to gypsies.

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

4 Section 1. Repeals.

5 The following acts are repealed:

6 The act of May 6, 1909 (P.L.445, No.247), entitled "An act to  
7 require roving bands of nomads, commonly called gypsies, and the  
8 persons composing such bands, who have no permanent place of  
9 abode in this Commonwealth, to take out a license to pitch or  
10 settle their encampments, or carry on their transactions or  
11 practice their craft, within the limits of any county of this  
12 State, fixing the amount of such license, and prescribing the  
13 penalty for violation of the same.

14 The act of April 7, 1927 (P.L.144, No.114), entitled "An act  
15 authorizing boards of health to require roving bands, or bands  
16 of nomads, commonly called gypsies, declared to be nuisances or

1 menaces to health, to leave municipalities, and providing  
2 penalties.

3 Section 2. Effective date.

4 This act shall take effect immediately.