

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 1816** Session of  
1987

INTRODUCED BY MRKONIC, ACOSTA, DeLUCA, DALEY, DUFFY, DAWIDA,  
MURPHY, CALTAGIRONE, KUKOVICH, MICHLOVIC, GAMBLE, PRESTON,  
FREEMAN, PISTELLA AND MARKOSEK, OCTOBER 14, 1987

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, OCTOBER 14, 1987

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 10, 1968 (P.L.316, No.154), entitled  
2 "An act establishing a code of ethics for the General  
3 Assembly, its officers and employes, and providing remedies  
4 for its enforcement and penalties," restricting attorney  
5 members of the General Assembly from representing clients  
6 before State agencies, State appellate courts, courts of  
7 common pleas and the minor judiciary.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. The act of July 10, 1968 (P.L.316, No.154), known  
11 as the Legislative Code of Ethics, is amended by adding a  
12 section to read:

13 Section 5.1. Representation before Certain Agencies  
14 Prohibited.--No attorney member of the General Assembly shall  
15 represent any client before any State agency, State appellate  
16 court, court of common pleas or any court of the minor  
17 judiciary.

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