
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 192

Session of
1987

INTRODUCED BY WIGGINS, BELARDI, LEVDANSKY, CARN, CAWLEY, TIGUE,
SALOOM, MELIO, J. TAYLOR, ACOSTA, VEON, SERAFINI, HAYDEN,
FATTAH, DUFFY, LINTON, WOZNIAK, COHEN, COWELL, HUGHES,
ROEBUCK AND EVANS, NOVEMBER 10, 1987

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON RULES, NOVEMBER 16, 1987

A RESOLUTION

1 Appointing a bipartisan select committee to investigate the
2 system of socialized medicine in Canada and Great Britain.

3 WHEREAS, The continually rising cost of medical services is a
4 matter of great public concern; and

5 WHEREAS, It would be of interest and possible benefit to
6 investigate the provision of medical services in countries
7 having different systems of providing such services; therefore
8 be it

9 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives appoint a seven-
10 member bipartisan select committee, four from the majority party
11 and three from the minority party, to investigate the socialized
12 medicine systems of Canada and Great Britain in order to compare
13 the costs of medical services in those countries with the costs
14 in this Commonwealth; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That the expenses incurred by the committee in
16 carrying out its responsibilities, including, but not limited
17 to, per diem and travel expenses incurred by members and regular

1 staff, stenographic charges and other incidental expenses, shall
2 be paid from appropriate accounts under the control of the Chief
3 Clerk and shall be in addition to any other amount authorized
4 for expenses for contractors, consultants and staff; and be it
5 further

6 RESOLVED, That the chairman shall make a monthly report of
7 all expenses incurred by the committee to each member of the
8 committee and to the Majority and Minority leaders and, within
9 30 calendar days after the committee has made its report or the
10 mandate of the committee has expired, the chairman shall cause a
11 record of all expenses incurred by the committee, or the members
12 thereof, which are payable at Commonwealth expense, to be filed
13 with the Chief Clerk; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That the committee shall report to the House of
15 Representatives on its activities, findings and recommendations
16 to the House of Representatives as soon as possible.