

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 380 Session of
2007

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SONNEY, R. STEVENSON, SWANGER, TANGRETTI, TRUE, WATSON AND
DENLINGER, FEBRUARY 13, 2007

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, FEBRUARY 13, 2007

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for
3 sentencing procedure for murder of the first degree.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 9711(d) of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

8 § 9711. Sentencing procedure for murder of the first degree.

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10 (d) Aggravating circumstances.--Aggravating circumstances
11 shall be limited to the following:

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13 (19) At the time of the killing, the defendant was
14 required to register pursuant to Subchapter H (relating to
15 registration of sexual offenders) and the defendant had

1 perpetrated a sexually violent offense as defined in section
2 9792 (relating to definitions) against the victim.

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