
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE RESOLUTION

No. 643 Session of
2012

INTRODUCED BY CLYMER, ADOLPH, AUMENT, BAKER, BOYD, CALTAGIRONE, D. COSTA, CUTLER, DALEY, DeLUCA, DiGIROLAMO, EVANKOVICH, EVERETT, FLECK, FRANKEL, GEIST, GEORGE, GIBBONS, GILLEN, GINGRICH, GODSHALL, GOODMAN, GRELL, GROVE, HAHN, HARHAI, HARHART, HARPER, HARRIS, HELM, HENNESSEY, HESS, HICKERNELL, HORNAMAN, HUTCHINSON, KAUFFMAN, KILLION, KIRKLAND, KNOWLES, KORTZ, MAHER, MAHONEY, MAJOR, MANN, MARSHALL, MARSICO, McGEEHAN, MILLARD, MILLER, MILNE, MURT, MUSTIO, MYERS, OBERLANDER, O'NEILL, PAYNE, PERRY, PICKETT, READSHAW, ROCK, ROSS, SACCONI, SANTONI, SCAVELLO, CULVER, SCHRODER, SONNEY, STERN, STEVENSON, SWANGER, TALLMAN, TOOHL, VEREB, VULAKOVICH, WATSON AND YOUNGBLOOD, MARCH 29, 2012

INTRODUCED AS NONCONTROVERSIAL RESOLUTION UNDER RULE 35, MARCH 29, 2012

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the 225th anniversary of the signing of the
2 Constitution of the United States.

3 WHEREAS, On September 17, 1787, 42 of the 55 delegates to the
4 Constitutional Convention held their final meeting, with only
5 one item of business occupying the agenda that day, to sign the
6 Constitution of the United States; and

7 WHEREAS, After being signed in September of 1787, Congress
8 sent printed copies of the Constitution of the United States to
9 the state legislatures for ratification; and

10 WHEREAS, By June 21, 1788, nine states had approved the
11 Constitution of the United States, finally forming "a more
12 perfect Union"; and

1 WHEREAS, In the opinion of many, the Constitution of the
2 United States, signed in Philadelphia on September 17, 1787,
3 represents the greatest expression of statesmanship and
4 compromise ever written; and

5 WHEREAS, This year marks the 225th anniversary of the signing
6 of the Constitution of the United States; therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives recognize the
8 225th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution of the
9 United States.