
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE RESOLUTION

No. 28 Session of
2013

INTRODUCED BY KITCHEN, FONTANA, COSTA, WASHINGTON, WILLIAMS,
BOSCOLA, FARNESE, HUGHES, TARTAGLIONE, STACK, TEPLITZ, SMITH,
BREWSTER, SOLOBAY AND LEACH, FEBRUARY 7, 2013

REFERRED TO STATE GOVERNMENT, FEBRUARY 7, 2013

A RESOLUTION

1 Directing the Legislative Budget and Finance Committee to
2 conduct a study on the implementation of early voting and on
3 same-day registration in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

4 WHEREAS, Various states throughout our nation have voting
5 systems that allow voters to go to certain polling places to
6 vote prior to election day, commonly known as "early voting";
7 and

8 WHEREAS, Various states permit eligible citizens to register
9 to vote on election days, commonly known as "Election Day Voter
10 Registration" (EDR) or "Same-Day Registration"; therefore be it

11 RESOLVED, That the Senate direct the Legislative Budget and
12 Finance Committee to conduct a study on the feasibility of
13 adopting one or both of the aforesaid voting practices in this
14 Commonwealth for future elections; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That the committee report its findings, conclusions
16 and recommendations to the Senate no later than November 30,
17 2013.