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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 20 Session of  
2015

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INTRODUCED BY MILNE, BAKER, BOBACK, D. COSTA, ENGLISH, GILLEN,  
PHILLIPS-HILL, MASSER, MILLARD, READSHAW, TOEPEL, WARD AND  
WATSON, JULY 1, 2016

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, JULY 1, 2016

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania  
2 Consolidated Statutes, in other offenses, further providing  
3 for the offense of commemorative service demonstration  
4 activities.

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

7 Section 1. Section 7517(b) of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania  
8 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

9 § 7517. Commemorative service demonstration activities.

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11 (b) Offense defined.--A person commits a misdemeanor of the  
12 third degree if the person engages in demonstration activities  
13 within [500] 1,000 feet of any cemetery, mortuary, church or  
14 other location being utilized for the purposes of a  
15 commemorative service within one hour prior to, during and one  
16 hour following the commemorative service.

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