
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 717 Session of
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O'NEILL, M. QUINN, SAINATO, SAYLOR, STAATS, TOPPER, WARD AND
WATSON, MARCH 6, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 6, 2017

AN ACT

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

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

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

8 § 7517. Commemorative service demonstration activities.

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

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