

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1886 Session of 2017

INTRODUCED BY RYAN, DIAMOND, MILLARD, STAATS AND WATSON,  
OCTOBER 25, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, OCTOBER 25, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 20 (Decedents, Estates and Fiduciaries) of the  
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in incapacitated persons,  
3 further providing for provisions concerning powers, duties  
4 and liabilities.

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

7 Section 1. Section 5521(c) of Title 20 of the Pennsylvania  
8 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding paragraphs to read:  
9 § 5521. Provisions concerning powers, duties and liabilities.

10 \* \* \*

11 (c) Reports.--

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13 (3) No less than quarterly, the clerk of the orphans'  
14 court shall transmit to the court a list of guardians who are  
15 delinquent at least 30 days in filing the reports required  
16 under this section. The court shall take appropriate  
17 enforcement action against such guardians.

18 (4) The court shall develop a procedure for the  
19 examination of the annual reports to ensure that the

1 guardians are acting in the best interests of the  
2 incapacitated persons.

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