
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No.

265

Session of

1961

INTRODUCED BY MESSRS. McCREESH, DONOLOW AND
SARRAF, FEBRUARY 21, 1961.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES
AND FEDERAL RELATIONS, FEBRUARY 21, 1961.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to article two section four of the Constitution
of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by fixing a time limit
upon the duration of regular sessions

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania here-

by resolves as follows

- 1 Section 1 The following amendment to the Constitution of the
- 2 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is proposed in accordance with the
- 3 provisions of the eighteenth article thereof

EXPLANATION.—CAPITAL LETTERS indicate new matter added to bill. Matter stricken through
is to be omitted from bill.
Underscoring indicates new matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter
stricken from existing law.

1 That section four article two of the Constitution of the Common-
2 wealth of Pennsylvania be amended to read

3 Section 4 Upon adoption of this amendment the General Assembly
4 shall meet at twelve o'clock noon on the first Tuesday of January of
5 the year following such adoption and shall meet as such time annually
6 thereafter and at other times when convened by the Governor At regu-
7 lar sessions convening in even-numbered years the General Assembly
8 shall not enact any laws except laws raising revenue and laws making
9 appropriations The General Assembly shall not be in regular session
10 after the last day of June of any year

We certify that this bill has passed the Senate and the House of
Representatives.

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Chief Clerk, Senate

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President pro tempore, Senate

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Speaker, House of Representatives