

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## PRELIMINARY REAPPORTIONMENT PLAN ON REMAND

On January 25, 2012, the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania entered an order finding the 2011 Final Reapportionment Plan ("2011 Final Plan") adopted by the 2011 Legislative Reapportionment Commission ("Commission") to be "contrary to law" and, in accordance with Article II, Section 17(d) of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, remanded the 2011 Final Plan to the Commission with a directive to reapportion the Commonwealth in a manner consistent with the Court's Opinion. The Supreme Court issued its opinion explaining its order on February 3, 2012. See Holt v. 2011 Legislative Reapportionment Comm'n, 33 A.3d 711 (Pa. 2012).

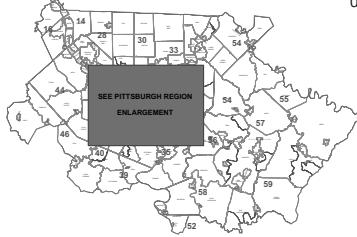
Following is a copy of the Preliminary Reapportionment Plan ("Preliminary Plan") of the Senate of Pennsylvania and the Pennsylvania House of Representatives filed by the Commission with the Secretary of the Commonwealth ("Secretary").

The Secretary has prepared the Preliminary Plan for publication in accordance with Article II, Section 17(i) of the Constitution of Pennsylvania. The 33rd Senatorial District in Adams, Cumberland, Franklin and York Counties has the largest population, 264,160, which is 3.98% above the average population for a Senatorial district. The 50th Senatorial District in Butler, Crawford, Erie and Mercer Counties has the lowest population, 243,892, which is 4.00% below the average population for a Senatorial district. The 135th Legislative District of the House of Representatives in Northampton County has the largest population, 64,957, which is 3.81% above the average population for a Representative district. The 186th Legislative District of the House of Representatives in Philadelphia County has the lowest population, 60,100, which is 3.95% below the average population for a Representative district.

Article II, Section 17(c) of the Constitution of Pennsylvania provides that the Commission shall have thirty days after filing the preliminary plan to make corrections in the plan. The Constitution also provides that any person aggrieved by the preliminary plan shall have the same thirty day period to file exceptions with the Commission. Following the Commission's action on exceptions, Article II, Section 17(d) of the Constitution provides that any person aggrieved shall have thirty days within which to appeal for review by the Supreme Court.

In accordance with the procedures established by the Constitution, the Commission will accept exceptions to the Preliminary Plan until 5:00 p.m., on May 14, 2012. Exceptions shall be addressed to the Commission at North Office Building, Room 104, Harrisburg, PA 17120. —Carol Aichele, Secretary of the Commonwealth

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