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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 1777 Session of  
2015

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INTRODUCED BY SACCONI, MILLARD, JAMES, WARD, DIAMOND, STEPHENS,  
BLOOM, GIBBONS, EVANKOVICH, REESE, ZIMMERMAN AND JOZWIAK,  
JANUARY 5, 2016

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, JANUARY 5, 2016

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the  
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in judgments and other  
3 liens, further providing for exemption of particular  
4 property.

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

7 Section 1. Section 8124(a) of the Title 42 of the  
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a  
9 paragraph to read:

10 § 8124. Exemption of particular property.

11 (a) Goods.--The following personal property of the judgment  
12 debtor shall be exempt from attachment or execution on a  
13 judgment:

14 (1) Wearing apparel.

15 (2) Bibles and school books.

16 (3) Sewing machines belonging to seamstresses or used  
17 and owned by private families, but not including sewing  
18 machines kept for sale or hire.

1           (4) Uniforms and accoutrements as provided by 51 Pa.C.S.  
2           § 4103 (relating to exemption of uniforms and equipment).

3           (5) No more than three firearms, as defined in 18  
4           Pa.C.S. § 6102 (relating to definitions), and ammunition for  
5           each.

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