AN ACT

Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), entitled 1 "An act concerning elections, including general, municipal, 2 special and primary elections, the nomination of candidates, primary and election expenses and election contests; creating and defining membership of county boards of elections; 5 imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth, 6 courts, county boards of elections, county commissioners; 7 imposing penalties for violation of the act, and codifying, 8 revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto; and 9 repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating to 10 elections," in electoral college, further providing for 11 election of presidential electors. 12

- 13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 14 hereby enacts as follows:
- Section 1. Section 1501 of the act of June 3, 1937
- 16 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election Code, is
- 17 amended to read:
- 18 Section 1501. Election of Presidential Electors. -- (a) At
- 19 the general election to be held in the year 1940, and every
- 20 fourth year thereafter, there shall be elected by the qualified
- 21 electors of the Commonwealth, persons to be known as electors of
- 22 President and Vice-President of the United States, and referred
- 23 to in this act as presidential electors, equal in number to the

- 1 whole number of senators and representatives to which this State
- 2 may be entitled in the Congress of the United States.
- 3 (b) (1) Two of the presidential electors shall be elected
- 4 at large to represent the entire Commonwealth and shall cast
- 5 their ballots for the presidential and vice-presidential
- 6 candidates with the greatest number of votes Statewide.
- 7 (2) Each of the remaining presidential electors shall be
- 8 <u>elected in the presidential elector's congressional district</u> and
- 9 <u>shall cast a ballot for the presidential and vice-presidential</u>
- 10 candidates with the greatest number of votes in the
- 11 congressional district.
- 12 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.