THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2357 Session of 1990

INTRODUCED BY DIETTERICK, HASAY, JAROLIN, ALLEN, DISTLER, NAILOR, JOHNSON, KASUNIC, PETRONE, HESS, RUDY, TRELLO, HALUSKA, HERMAN, BURD, LASHINGER, BILLOW, TANGRETTI, TELEK, JACKSON, ANGSTADT, FOX, PESCI, SERAFINI, BELARDI, MORRIS, MELIO, STISH, McHALE, S. H. SMITH, ADOLPH, FLEAGLE, CAWLEY AND BLAUM, MARCH 19, 1990

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 19, 1990

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
 2 Statutes, further defining total income to exclude Federal or
 3 State black lung benefits.
 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 1901(c)(16) of Title 75 of the
- 7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 1901. Exemption of entities and vehicles from fees.
- 9 * * *
- 10 (c) Processing fee in lieu of registration fee.--No
- 11 registration fee shall be charged for vehicles registered by any
- 12 of the following but the department shall charge a fee of \$10 to
- 13 cover the costs of processing for issuing or renewing the
- 14 registration:
- 15 * * *
- 16 (16) Any person who is retired and receiving social

1 security or other pension and whose total income from all 2 sources other than Federal or State black lung benefits does 3 not exceed \$14,999 per year. Unless the retired person is physically or mentally incapable of driving the vehicle, the 4 5 retired person shall be the principal driver of the vehicle but may from time to time authorize another person to drive 6 7 the vehicle in his or her stead. The total amount of money 8 which is annually lost due to benefits received by those 9 individuals who are eligible for or are receiving benefits 10 pursuant to the act of March 11, 1971 (P.L.104, No.3), known as the "Senior Citizens Rebate and Assistance Act," by the 11 12 Department of Transportation by operation of this paragraph 13 based on the difference between the normal registration fee and the processing fee shall be appropriated from the Lottery 14 Fund to the Motor License Fund. The Governor is hereby 15 16 authorized to annually transfer from the Lottery Fund the 17 necessary amount of money to reimburse the Motor License Fund 18 pursuant to this paragraph. Such money is hereby specifically appropriated to the Motor License Fund to be expended by the 19 20 Department of Transportation with the approval of the 21 Governor.

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23 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.