

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 993 Session of
1995

INTRODUCED BY REBER, CORNELL, E. Z. TAYLOR, RUBLEY, HENNESSEY,
GEIST, TRELLO, DALEY, NAILOR, THOMAS, L. I. COHEN AND
VAN HORNE, MARCH 6, 1995

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, APRIL 18, 1995

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for penalties for driving while
3 operating privilege is suspended or revoked AND FOR <—
4 SUBSEQUENT CONVICTIONS OF CERTAIN OFFENSES.

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

7 Section 1. ~~Section 1543(a)~~ SECTIONS 1543(A) AND 6503 of <—
8 Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes ~~is~~ ARE <—
9 amended to read:

10 § 1543. Driving while operating privilege is suspended or
11 revoked.

12 (a) Offense defined.--Except as provided in subsection (b),
13 any person who drives a motor vehicle on any highway or
14 trafficway of this Commonwealth after the commencement of a
15 suspension, revocation or cancellation of the operating
16 privilege and before the operating privilege has been restored
17 [is guilty of] commits a summary offense and shall, upon
18 conviction, be sentenced ~~to pay a fine of \$200 for a first~~ <—

~~offense, \$500 for a second offense and \$1,500 for a third or
subsequent offense.:~~

~~(1) FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, TO PAY A FINE OF \$200[.];~~

~~(2) FOR A SECOND OFFENSE, TO PAY A FINE OF \$500 OR TO
IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN THREE MONTHS, OR BOTH; OR~~

~~(3) FOR A THIRD OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE, TO PAY A FINE OF
\$1,500 OR TO IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN SIX MONTHS, OR
BOTH.~~

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§ 6503. SUBSEQUENT CONVICTIONS OF CERTAIN OFFENSES.

EVERY PERSON CONVICTED OF A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT VIOLATION OF
ANY OF THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS SHALL BE SENTENCED TO PAY A FINE
OF NOT LESS THAN \$200 NOR MORE THAN \$1,000 OR TO IMPRISONMENT
FOR NOT MORE THAN SIX MONTHS, OR BOTH:

SECTION 1501(A) (RELATING TO DRIVERS REQUIRED TO BE
LICENSED).

[SECTION 1543 (RELATING TO DRIVING WHILE OPERATING
PRIVILEGE IS SUSPENDED OR REVOKED).]

SECTION 3367 (RELATING TO RACING ON HIGHWAYS).

[SECTION 3733 (RELATING TO FLEEING OR ATTEMPTING TO ELUDE
POLICE OFFICER).]

SECTION 3734 (RELATING TO DRIVING WITHOUT LIGHTS TO AVOID
IDENTIFICATION OR ARREST).

SECTION 3748 (RELATING TO FALSE REPORTS).

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