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HOUSE BILL

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AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, APRIL 16, 1997

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, defining the offenses of aggravated assault by
3 vehicle and aggravated homicide by vehicle.

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

6 Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
7 Statutes is amended by adding sections to read:

8 § 3733.1. Aggravated assault by vehicle.

9 Any person who recklessly causes serious bodily injury to
10 another while violating section 3733 (relating to fleeing or
11 attempting to elude police officer) commits a felony of the
12 second degree. Where there are circumstances manifesting an
13 extreme indifference to the value of human life, such person
14 commits a felony of the first degree.

15 § 3733.2. Aggravated homicide by vehicle.

16 Any person who recklessly causes the death of another person
17 while violating section 3733 (relating to fleeing or attempting

1 to elude police officer) commits a felony in the second OF THE <—
2 FIRST degree. Where there are circumstances manifesting malice,
3 such person commits a murder of the third degree.

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