THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1684 Session of 1997

INTRODUCED BY PRESTON, PETRONE AND ROBINSON, JUNE 16, 1997

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AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 66 (Public Utilities) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, providing for the regulation of the
- 3 placement of public telephones in counties of the second
- 4 class.
- 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 6 hereby enacts as follows:
- 7 Section 1. Title 66 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 8 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:
- 9 § 2916. Authority of counties of the second class.
- 10 A county of the second class shall have the power to enact
- 11 and enforce a local ordinance regulating the placement and
- 12 maintenance of public telephones within the county. This
- 13 ordinance may require that applicants obtain a permit from the
- 14 municipality for the placement of a public telephone and may
- 15 contain provisions relating to fees, the renewal of permits and
- 16 the suspension or revocation of permits.
- 17 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.