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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE, MAY 14, 2003

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for financial responsibility.

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

5 Section 1. The definition of "financial responsibility" in
6 section 1702 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
7 Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 1702. Definitions.

9 The following words and phrases when used in this chapter
10 shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
11 context clearly indicates otherwise:

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13 "Financial responsibility." The ability to respond in
14 damages for liability on account of accidents arising out of the
15 maintenance or use of a motor vehicle in the minimum amount of
16 [\$15,000] \$25,000 because of injury to one person in any one
17 accident, in the minimum amount of [\$30,000] \$50,000 because of

1 injury to two or more persons in any one accident and in the
2 minimum amount of [\$5,000] \$10,000 because of damage to property
3 of others in any one accident. The financial responsibility
4 shall be in a form acceptable to the Department of
5 Transportation.

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