

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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YOUNGBLOOD AND HESS, FEBRUARY 23, 2011

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, FEBRUARY 23, 2011

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for  
3 period of registration.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1307(a.1) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 1307. Period of registration.

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10 (a.1) Seasonal registration.--Upon application on a form  
11 prescribed by the department, the owner or lessee of a passenger  
12 car, recreational motor vehicle, motorcycle, truck [or], farm  
13 vehicle or antique, classic and collectible vehicle which does  
14 not have a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 10,000  
15 pounds may register the vehicle with the department for a period  
16 of successive months of less than one year. The applicant shall  
17 specify the period of months during which the vehicle shall be  
18 registered. Except when the department initially converts a

1 currently valid annual registration to a seasonal registration,  
2 the annual fee prescribed for the vehicle by Chapter 19  
3 (relating to fees) shall be paid in full by the applicant  
4 regardless of the number of months chosen for registration by  
5 the applicant. Upon receipt of the appropriate fee and the  
6 properly completed form, including all information required by  
7 this chapter, the department shall issue a seasonal registration  
8 that shall expire on the last day of the expiration month chosen  
9 by the registrant. No insurer of a vehicle belonging to any  
10 owner or lessee who obtains a seasonal registration and who  
11 applies for or receives a reduced automobile insurance premium  
12 on account thereof shall be required to provide any contractual  
13 coverage, whether in the form of the provision of a defense or  
14 the payment of first-party or third-party benefits or otherwise,  
15 to the owner or lessee in connection with any event occurring  
16 during that part of the year in which the vehicle is not  
17 registered; and such owner or lessee shall be treated for all  
18 purposes, including, without limitation, ascertaining rights to  
19 stack coverages and to uninsured and underinsured motorist  
20 coverage, as a person who does not own that vehicle and has no  
21 duty to carry financial responsibility on it for that part of  
22 the year.

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