THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1000 Session of 2013

INTRODUCED BY STEPHENS, BARRAR, BLOOM, D. COSTA, FARRY, GILLEN, GINGRICH, GRELL, GROVE, HARHART, C. HARRIS, M. K. KELLER, KNOWLES, KORTZ, MARSICO, MILLARD, MILLER, MILNE, MOUL, QUINN, ROCK, SWANGER, VEREB AND WATSON, MARCH 14, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMITEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 14, 2013

AN ACT

Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania 1 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the offense of 2 retail theft. 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 5 hereby enacts as follows: 6 Section 1. Section 3929(b)(1)(v) of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read: § 3929. Retail theft. 8 9 * * * 10 (b) Grading. --11 (1) Retail theft constitutes a: * * * 12 13 (v) Felony of the third degree when the amount 14 involved exceeds [\$2,000] \$1,000 or if the merchandise 15 involved is a firearm or a motor vehicle. * * * 16 Section 2. The amendment of 18 Pa.C.S. § 3929(b)(1)(v) shall 17

- 1 apply to offenses committed on or after the effective date of
- 2 this section.
- 3 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.