THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 904 Session of 2017

INTRODUCED BY MURT, BARRAR, FREEMAN, GILLEN, KAUFFMAN, MENTZER, PASHINSKI, RADER AND ZIMMERMAN, MARCH 20, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 20, 2017

AN ACT

1 2 3 4	Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in registration of vehicles, providing for special farmland preservation plates and for the use of a portion of the fee for the plate.
5	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6	hereby enacts as follows:
7	Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
8	Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:
9	<u>§ 1369.3. Farmland preservation plate.</u>
10	(a) PlateThe department, in consultation with the Bureau
11	of Farmland Preservation, shall design a special farmland
12	preservation registration plate. Upon application of any person,
13	accompanied by a fee of \$35 that shall be in addition to the
14	annual registration fee, the department shall issue the plate
15	for a passenger car or other vehicle with a registered gross
16	weight of not more than 9,000 pounds.
17	(b) Use of feeOf each fee paid under subsection (a), \$15
18	shall be deposited into the Agricultural Conservation Easement
19	Purchase Fund established under the act of June 30, 1981_

- 1 (P.L.128, No.43), known as the Agricultural Area Security Law,
- 2 to preserve farmland in this Commonwealth.
- 3 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.