## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 265

Session of 1977

INTRODUCED BY ZEARFOSS, A. K. HUTCHINSON AND DININNI, FEBRUARY 9, 1977

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, FEBRUARY 9, 1977

## AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated 2 Statutes, by further providing for noise controls.
- 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 4 hereby enacts as follows:
- 5 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 4523 of Title 75, act
- 6 of November 25, 1970 (P.L.707, No.230) known as the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated added June 17, 1976 (No.81) is amended to read:
- 8 § 4523. Exhaust systems, mufflers and noise control.
- 9 (a) Compliance with established sound levels.--Every motor
- 10 vehicle [operated on a highway] shall be constructed, equipped,
- 11 maintained and operated so as not to exceed the sound level for
- 12 the vehicle as prescribed in regulations promulgated by the
- 13 department. The test procedures and instrumentation to be
- 14 utilized shall also be established by regulation.
- 15 \* \* \*
- 16 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 90 days or July 1,
- 17 1977 whichever is later.