

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 1655** Session of  
1983

INTRODUCED BY SALOOM (BY REQUEST), NOVEMBER 14, 1983

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, NOVEMBER 14, 1983

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, requiring portable emergency warning devices to be  
3 carried in passenger cars.

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

6 Section 1. Section 4530 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 4530. Portable emergency warning devices.

9 (a) General rule.--Every passenger car, truck, truck tractor  
10 and bus and any motor vehicle towing a trailer shall carry at  
11 least three portable emergency warning devices of a type  
12 specified by regulations promulgated by the department. The  
13 regulations shall be consistent with Motor Carrier Safety  
14 Regulations, Department of Transportation, Federal Highway  
15 Administration, Bureau of Motor Carrier Safety, section 393.95.

16 (b) When display required.--Whenever any vehicle of a type  
17 referred to in subsection (a) is disabled or stopped for more  
18 than ten minutes upon a roadway or shoulder outside of an urban

1 district, or upon any divided highway, the driver of the vehicle  
2 shall display the portable warning devices of the type required  
3 under subsection (a) in such manner as the department shall  
4 direct by regulations.

5 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 90 days.