

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 851 Session of
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J. TAYLOR, WALKO, WATSON, WEBER, YOUNGBLOOD, REICHLEY AND
GOODMAN, MARCH 11, 2003

AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
MAY 13, 2003

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the offense of
3 scattering rubbish.

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

6 Section 1. Section 6501(b)(1) AND (D)(1) of Title 18 of the <—
7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes ~~is~~ ARE amended to read: <—

8 § 6501. Scattering rubbish.

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10 (b) Penalty.--

11 (1) A person who violates subsection (a)(1) or (2) is
12 guilty of a summary offense for the first offense and upon
13 conviction thereof shall be sentenced to:

14 (i) pay a fine of not less than [\$50] \$250 nor more
15 than [\$300] \$500 [or to];

16 (ii) imprisonment for not more than 90 days[, or

both.];

(iii) not more than 90 days of community service; or

(iv) any combination of subparagraphs (i), (ii) and

(iii).

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(D) FORFEITURE.--

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(1) PROPERTY SUBJECT TO FORFEITURE UNDER THIS SECTION
MAY BE SEIZED BY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY UPON PROCESS
ISSUED BY ANY COURT OF COMMON PLEAS HAVING JURISDICTION OVER
THE PROPERTY. WHEN A WASTE TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE OR A WASTE
TRAILER REGULATED UNDER 27 PA.C.S. § 6204 (RELATING TO WASTE
TRANSPORTATION SAFETY PROGRAM) IS FORFEITED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
SHALL BE NOTIFIED AND IT SHALL CONDUCT A COMPLIANCE HISTORY
REVIEW OF THE WASTE TRANSPORTER.

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