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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 20, 2009

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further providing for person with disability plate  
3 and placard.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1338(c) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

8 § 1338. Person with disability plate and placard.

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10 (c) Health care provider's statement.--

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12 (1.1) A statement certified by a physician, podiatrist,  
13 chiropractor, physician assistant or certified registered  
14 nurse practitioner should include a tear-off placard at the  
15 bottom of the statement. The tear-off placard, upon signature  
16 by the health care provider, may be used as a temporary  
17 placard for persons with disabilities for no more than 30

1 days or until the applicant receives a special plate or  
2 parking placard for persons with disabilities from the  
3 department, whichever comes first. A person may not receive  
4 more than two tear-off placards from a health care provider  
5 per temporary disability.

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