THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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AN ACT

Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in driving after imbibing alcohol or utilizing drugs, providing for registry of habitual DUI offenders. 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 4 5 hereby enacts as follows: 6 Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a section to read: § 3818. Registry of habitual DUI offenders. 8 9 (a) Establishment.--10 (1) Not later than 90 days after the effective date of 11 this section, the department shall establish and maintain a 12 State registry to be known as the Pennsylvania Habitual DUI 13 Offenders Registry. The registry shall contain all of the information specified in paragraph (3) regarding any person 14 15 who on or after the effective date of this section is 16 convicted in this Commonwealth for the fifth or subsequent 17 time in the preceding 20 years of a violation of section 3802 (relating to driving under influence of alcohol or controlled 18

1	substance)	or 3	0 Pa.C.S.	§	5502	(relating	to	operating	
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- 2 <u>watercraft under influence of alcohol or controlled</u>
- 3 substance).
- 4 (2) The registry shall be a public record subject to
- 5 <u>inspection under the act of February 14, 2008 (P.L.6, No.3),</u>
- 6 known as the Right-to-Know Law. The department shall obtain
- 7 the information to be included in the registry from the
- 8 reports provided by the court under subsection (b).
- 9 (3) The registry shall include at least the following
- 10 <u>information regarding each offender:</u>
- 11 <u>(i) The offender's name, date of birth, residence</u>
- 12 <u>address and employment address, including, but not</u>
- 13 <u>limited to, the street address, municipal corporation or</u>
- 14 township, county and zip code of the person's place of
- 15 <u>residence.</u>
- 16 (ii) The number of times within the preceding 20
- 17 years that the offender has been convicted in this
- 18 Commonwealth for a violation of section 3802 or 30
- 19 Pa.C.S. § 5502, the date of each of those convictions and
- their respective locations.
- 21 (4) The department shall post the information from the
- 22 registry as a database on the department's publicly
- 23 accessible Internet website. The database shall be searchable
- by an offender's name, county and zip code of residence.
- 25 (b) Duty of court.--A court that convicts a person for a
- 26 violation of section 3802 shall send to the department, within
- 27 30 days after the conviction of the offender, the information
- 28 specified in subsection (a)(3)(i).
- 29 <u>(c) Monthly updating required.--The department shall update</u>
- 30 the registry and the database on a monthly basis to ensure that

- 1 the information contained in the registry and database is
- 2 <u>accurate and current.</u>
- 3 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.