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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1561 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY SNYDER, J. HARRIS, DRISCOLL, LONGIETTI, MURT, SCHLOSSBERG, SAYLOR, ZIMMERMAN, KORTZ, THOMAS, YOUNGBLOOD, BISHOP, PICKETT, HARHAI, GINGRICH, JAMES, MILLARD, SCHWEYER, BOBACK, COHEN AND GILLEN, SEPTEMBER 29, 2015

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, SEPTEMBER 29, 2015

AN ACT

Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in powers of Department of Transportation and local authorities, further providing for display of unauthorized signs, signals or markings.

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

Section 1. Section 6125 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:

§ 6125. Display of unauthorized signs, signals or markings.

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(e) Agricultural business advertising signs.--The department on State-designated highways, including intersections with local highways, shall establish and enforce specifications for the erection and maintenance of agricultural business advertising signs, including, but not limited to, signs that advertise local farm markets and wayside fresh produce stands. In carrying out its duties under this subsection, the department may not require the owner of an agricultural business advertising sign to apply

for and obtain a permit from the department.

Section 2. The regulations set forth at 67 Pa. Code Ch. 445 are abrogated to the extent of any inconsistency with this act.

Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.