

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

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 RESCHENTHALER, JUNE 19, 2017

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, JUNE 19, 2017

AN ACT

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

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

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

8 § 1338. Person with disability plate and placard.

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10 (c.3) Placard issuance by legislative district offices.--

11 (1) Upon request by a legislative district office, the
 12 department shall permit the legislative district office to
 13 issue temporary disability parking placards directly to
 14 individuals. The department shall supply the legislative
 15 district office with training and materials related to
 16 issuing, storing, ordering and returning placards.

17 (2) A temporary disability parking placard may be issued
 18 upon application by an individual to the legislative district

1 office. The department shall prescribe the form of the
2 application. The application must include a statement signed
3 by the individual asserting that the individual meets the
4 qualifications of subsection (a).

5 (3) A legislative district office shall electronically
6 submit a copy of the completed application form to the
7 department to enable the department to update its records to
8 reflect the issuance of the temporary disability parking
9 placard.

10 (4) A temporary disability parking placard issued by a
11 legislative district office is valid for a period of not more
12 than six months.

13 (5) An individual who is issued a temporary disability
14 parking placard by a legislative district office must
15 complete and submit to the department a separate application
16 that contains a health care provider's statement or a
17 statement from a police officer that the individual is
18 disabled as provided in subsection (a).

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