AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 359

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Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "Statutes, " 1 2 in enforcement, further providing for powers and duties of 3 enforcement officers and for suspension of privileges pending 4 payment of penalties; 5 Amend Bill, page 1, line 8, by striking out "Section" where it occurs the second time and inserting 6 7 Sections 901(b.1), 930 and 8 Amend Bill, page 1, by inserting between lines 9 and 10 § 901. Powers and duties of enforcement officers. 9 * * * 10 11 (b.1) Exception to the prohibition of interception and disclosure of communications. -- An officer whose duty it is to 12 13 enforce this title and who has received training on the use of 14 [body cameras] an electronic, mechanical or other device which has been approved under 18 Pa.C.S. § 5706(b)(4) (relating to 15 exceptions to prohibitions in possession, sale, distribution, 16 manufacture or advertisement of electronic, mechanical or other 17 <u>devices</u>) in a course approved by the Pennsylvania State Police 18 shall be [defined as a law enforcement officer for the purpose 19 of 18 Pa.C.S. § 5704(16)(iii) (relating to exceptions to 20 21 prohibition of interception and disclosure of communications)] 22 an investigative or law enforcement officer as defined under 18 Pa.C.S. § 5702 (relating to definitions). Such officers may wear 23 [body cameras] an electronic, mechanical or other device in the 24 performance of their official duties. This subsection shall not 25 26 apply to a deputy Game Commission officer or deputy wildlife conservation officer. 27 28 § 930. Suspension of privileges pending payment of penalties. 29 30 [All] (a) General rule. -- Notwithstanding subsection (b), all privileges granted by this title shall automatically be 31 32 suspended if a defendant fails to respond to a citation or 33 summons within 60 days or fails to pay all penalties in full 34 within 180 days following conviction. 35 (b) Payment plan. -- If a defendant is enrolled in a payment

- 1 plan to repay penalties and the defendant is making regular
- 2 payments under the payment plan, the privileges of this title
- 3 <u>may not be suspended.</u>