

## AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 859

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 3, by striking out "counties" and  
2 inserting

3 definitions, for telecommunications management, for counties,  
4 for fund, for telephone records

5 Amend Bill, page 1, line 4, by inserting after "termination"  
6 of chapter

7 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 7 through 11, by striking out all  
8 of said lines and inserting

9 Section 1. The definitions of "911 system" and "public  
10 safety answering point" or "PSAP" in section 5302 of Title 35 of  
11 the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:  
12 § 5302. Definitions.

13 The following words and phrases when used in this chapter  
14 shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the  
15 context clearly indicates otherwise:

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17 "911 system." A system capable of receiving and processing a  
18 911 communication throughout a defined geographic area. The term  
19 shall include a [city,] county[,] or county-based regional 911  
20 system or a PSAP.

21 \* \* \*

22 "Public safety answering point" or "PSAP." The agency-  
23 approved entity that receives 911 communications from a defined  
24 geographic area and processes those calls according to a  
25 specific operational policy. The term shall refer to a county or  
26 county-based regional 911 system.

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28 Section 2. Sections 5303(a)(15) and (b)(1), (3) and (4) of  
29 Title 35 are amended to read:  
30 § 5303. Telecommunications management.

31 (a) Powers and duties of agency.--The agency shall have the  
32 following powers and duties:

33 \* \* \*

34 (15) To adopt, in consultation with the board, minimum  
35 training [and], certification and quality assurance standards

1 for emergency dispatchers, call takers and supervisors.

2 \* \* \*

3 (b) Establishment of 911 board.--There is established a  
4 board within the agency to be known as the 911 board. The board  
5 shall be comprised of the following:

6 (1) The following State officials, who shall serve as  
7 voting members:

8 (i) The director of the agency, who shall act as  
9 chairperson.

10 (ii) The State 911 coordinator.

11 (iii) The Commissioner of the Pennsylvania State  
12 Police.

13 (iv) The chairman of the Veterans Affairs and  
14 Emergency Preparedness Committee of the Senate.

15 (v) The minority chairman of the Veterans Affairs  
16 and Emergency Preparedness Committee of the Senate.

17 (vi) The chairman of the Veterans Affairs and  
18 Emergency Preparedness Committee of the House of  
19 Representatives.

20 (vii) The minority chairman of the Veterans Affairs  
21 and Emergency Preparedness Committee of the House of  
22 Representatives.

23 (viii) The State Fire Commissioner.

24 (ix) The chairperson of the State Geospatial  
25 Coordinating Board.

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27 (3) A representative from the following State agencies,  
28 who shall serve as nonvoting members, to be appointed by the  
29 chief executive or administrative officer of each agency:

30 (i) The Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission.

31 [(ii) The Office of the State Fire Commissioner.]

32 (iii) The Governor's Office of Administration.

33 (4) A representative from the following Statewide  
34 associations, who shall serve as nonvoting members:

35 (i) The Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police Association.

36 (ii) The Fraternal Order of Police.

37 (iii) The Pennsylvania Emergency Health Services  
38 Council.

39 (iv) The Pennsylvania Fire and Emergency Services  
40 Institute.

41 (v) The Association of Public-Safety Communications  
42 Officials.

43 (vi) The Pennsylvania Chapter of the National  
44 Emergency Number Association.

45 (vii) The Keystone Emergency Management Association.

46 (viii) The Pennsylvania Professional Fire Fighters  
47 Association.

48 (ix) The Firemen's Association of the State of  
49 Pennsylvania.

50 (x) The Pennsylvania Wireless Association.

51 (xi) The Pennsylvania Telephone Association.

- 1 (xii) The Broadband Cable Association of  
2 Pennsylvania.  
3 (xiii) The Pennsylvania Municipal League.  
4 (xiv) The Pennsylvania State Association of  
5 Boroughs.  
6 (xv) The Pennsylvania State Association of Township  
7 Supervisors.  
8 (xvi) The Pennsylvania State Association of Township  
9 Commissioners.  
10 (xvii) The Ambulance Association of Pennsylvania.  
11 (xviii) The Pennsylvania Association of Councils of  
12 Governments.

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14 Section 3. Section 5304(c) of Title 35 is amended and  
15 subsection (a) is amended by adding a paragraph to read:  
16 § 5304. Counties.

17 (a) Powers and duties.--Each county shall have the following  
18 powers and duties in relation to a 911 system:

19 \* \* \*

20 (10) To make reasonable efforts to ensure required  
21 geographic information system (GIS) information is available  
22 and maintained to support next generation 911 call delivery.  
23 The following apply:

24 (i) Counties must cooperate with each other to  
25 develop the PSAP boundary, emergency service boundary,  
26 provisioning boundary and road centerline data sets.

27 (ii) Counties shall share GIS data needed to support  
28 geospatial call routing.

29 Amend Bill, page 1, by inserting between lines 16 and 17

30 Section 4. Sections 5306.1(d)(2), 5309(a), 5314(a) and (c)  
31 and 5398 of Title 35 are amended to read:  
32 § 5306.1. Fund.

33 \* \* \*

34 (d) Distribution.--Within 30 days after the end of each  
35 quarter, the agency shall determine the amount available from  
36 the fund for distribution and make disbursements in accordance  
37 with the Statewide 911 plan and this chapter and in accordance  
38 with the following:

39 \* \* \*

40 (2) Up to 15% of the amount in the fund shall be used by  
41 the agency to establish, enhance, operate or maintain  
42 Statewide interconnectivity of 911 systems, including, but  
43 not limited to, the use or obligations of money for debt  
44 service related to regional or Statewide interconnectivity.  
45 Money under this paragraph may also be used to purchase a  
46 Statewide system designed to allow individuals to identify  
47 their phone numbers as associated with a person with a  
48 physical disability, so that when an individual makes a 911  
49 call, the PSAP has this information.

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2 § 5309. Telephone records.

3 (a) Access.--A telephone service supplier shall provide  
4 customer telephone numbers, names and service addresses to PSAPs  
5 when requested by them for use in responding to 911 calls and  
6 for the synchronization of required geographic information  
7 system (GIS) database layers for geospatial call routing with  
8 the master street address guide, the ALI data and site and  
9 structure locations and, when required, to providers of  
10 emergency notification services and emergency support services,  
11 solely for the purposes of delivering or assisting in the  
12 delivery of emergency notification services and emergency  
13 support services. A wireless provider shall provide the  
14 telephone number and geographical location of the wireless  
15 device, as required under the FCC E-911 Order, to PSAPs when  
16 requested by them for use in responding to 911 calls. Customer  
17 telephone numbers, names and service addresses, and telephone  
18 numbers and geographical locations of wireless devices, shall  
19 remain the property of the disclosing service supplier. The  
20 total cost of the 911 system shall include expenses to reimburse  
21 telephone service suppliers for providing and maintaining 911  
22 information. A telephone service supplier shall not be  
23 reimbursed directly from the fund for providing and maintaining  
24 911 information. This information shall be used only in  
25 providing emergency response services to a 911 call,  
26 synchronizing master street address guide, ALI and GIS data sets  
27 or for purposes of delivering or assisting in the delivery of  
28 emergency notification services or emergency support services. A  
29 person who uses or discloses ANI/ALI database information for  
30 purposes other than providing emergency response services to a  
31 911 call, delivering or assisting in the delivery of emergency  
32 notification services commits a misdemeanor of the third degree.

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34 Amend Bill, page 2, line 22, by inserting a bracket before  
35 "June"

36 Amend Bill, page 2, line 22, by striking out the bracket  
37 before "2019"

38 Amend Bill, page 2, line 22, by striking out "2023" and  
39 inserting

40 January 31, 2024

41 Amend Bill, page 2, line 23, by striking out "2" and  
42 inserting

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