

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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E. Z. TAYLOR, THOMAS, TIGUE AND WEBER, MARCH 18, 2004

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER AFFAIRS, MARCH 18, 2004

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of December 29, 1972 (P.L.1713, No.367),
2 entitled "An act concerning motor vehicle physical damage
3 appraisers; providing for the licensing of persons engaged in
4 appraising physical damages to motor vehicles; fixing fees
5 and prescribing unlawful acts and penalties," further
6 providing for compliance with act.

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

9 Section 1. Section 11(d) of the act of December 29, 1972
10 (P.L.1713, No.367), known as the Motor Vehicle Physical Damage
11 Appraiser Act, is amended to read:

12 Section 11. Compliance with Act.--* * *

13 (d) (1) No appraiser or his employer shall require that
14 repairs be made in any specified repair shop[.], nor shall the
15 appraiser or his employer inform the consumer of any repair shop
16 with which the appraiser or his employer contracts to obtain
17 repair services at a discounted amount.

18 (2) A notice shall be printed by the insurer and provided to
19 the consumer at the beginning of the appraisal stating the

1 provisions of this subsection. The notice shall be printed in
2 capital letters in not less than ten-point bold type.

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