

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 596

Session of
1979

INTRODUCED BY LEWIS, MESSINGER, SCANLON, O'PAKE, EARLY, MELLOW
AND ORLANDO, MARCH 27, 1979

REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT, MARCH 27, 1979

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), entitled "An
2 act concerning townships of the second class; and amending,
3 revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating
4 thereto," authorizing the establishment or designation of
5 certain reserved areas to be used solely for parking by
6 handicapped persons.

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

9 Section 1. Clause XXIV of section 702, act of May 1, 1933
10 (P.L.103, No.69), known as "The Second Class Township Code,"
11 reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P.L.1481, No.567) and
12 amended July 2, 1953 (P.L.354, No.83), is amended to read:
13 amended to read:

14 Section 702. Supervisors to Exercise Powers.--The corporate
15 powers of townships of the second class shall be exercised by
16 the township supervisors. Where no specific authority is given
17 for the expenditures incident to the exercise of any power
18 hereinafter conferred, or where no specific fund is designated
19 from which such expenditures shall be made, appropriations for
20 such expenditures shall be made only from the general township

1 fund. In addition to the duties imposed upon them by section 516
2 hereof, they shall have power--

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4 XXIV. Regulation of Parking.--To regulate parking, [and] to
5 provide parking accommodations so as to promote the convenience
6 and protection of the public and to establish or designate, at
7 the discretion of the supervisors, parking areas exclusively
8 reserved for handicapped parking purposes. The supervisors shall
9 also have power to erect parking meters and to regulate parking
10 meter charges and to post signs regulating parking in areas
11 established or designated for handicapped parking.

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13 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.