THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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AN ACT

- 1 Establishing a fund for drug and alcohol enforcement in school
- 2 areas; providing for funding for county drug and alcohol
- treatment, rehabilitation and prevention; providing for
- 4 surcharges on persons convicted of certain offenses;
- 5 conferring powers and duties on the Pennsylvania Commission
- on Crime and Delinquency; and making an appropriation.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. Short title.
- 10 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Drug-Free
- 11 Zone Enforcement Act.
- 12 Section 2. Definitions.
- 13 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall
- 14 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the
- 15 context clearly indicates otherwise:
- 16 "Commission." The Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and
- 17 Delinquency.
- 18 "Fund." The Drug-Free Zone Enforcement Fund established
- 19 under section 3.

- 1 Section 3. Fund.
- 2 (a) Establishment.--The Drug-Free Zone Enforcement Fund is
- 3 established as a nonlapsing fund.
- 4 (b) Purpose.--The purpose of the fund is to implement
- 5 programs to protect school areas from drug and alcohol abuse.
- 6 (c) Source.--The source of the fund shall be appropriations
- 7 and 50% of the surcharges under section 4.
- 8 (d) Administration.--The commission shall administer the
- 9 fund under section 5.
- 10 Section 4. Surcharges.
- 11 (a) Imposition. -- The court shall impose a surcharge of \$100,
- 12 independent of any other fine or costs imposed, upon a defendant
- 13 who is convicted of or pleads guilty or no contest to any of the
- 14 following:
- 15 (1) A violation of section 13 of the act of April 14,
- 16 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as The Controlled Substance,
- 17 Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act.
- 18 (2) A violation of 18 Pa.C.S. § 6307 (relating to
- 19 misrepresentation of age to secure liquor or malt or brewed
- 20 beverages), 6308 (relating to purchase, consumption,
- 21 possession or transportation of liquor or malt or brewed
- beverages), 6309 (relating to representing that minor is of
- age), 6310 (relating to inducement of minors to buy liquor or
- 24 malt or brewed beverages), 6310.1 (relating to selling or
- furnishing liquor or malt or brewed beverages to minors),
- 26 6310.2 (relating to manufacture or sale of false
- identification card) or 6310.3 (relating to carrying a false
- 28 identification card).
- 29 (b) Exemption from Judicial Computer System Augmentation
- 30 Account. -- The provisions of 42 Pa.C.S. § 3733 (relating to

- 1 deposits into account) do not apply to surcharges under
- 2 subsection (a).
- 3 (c) Disposition.--
- 4 (1) Fifty percent of the surcharges collected under this
- 5 section shall be deposited in the fund.
- 6 (2) Fifty percent of the surcharges collected under this
- 7 section shall be forwarded to the county-based drug and
- 8 alcohol administration authority for drug and alcohol
- 9 treatment, rehabilitation and prevention programs.
- 10 Section 5. Administration of fund.
- 11 The money spent each fiscal year shall be for grants to
- 12 establish drug-free zones within 1,000 feet of the real
- 13 properties on which are located public, private or parochial
- 14 schools, colleges or universities. The purposes of grants under
- 15 this paragraph are to:
- 16 (1) Coordinate the efforts of community, school and law
- 17 enforcement officials.
- 18 (2) Train drug-law enforcement personnel identified
- 19 through the coordinated efforts under paragraph (1).
- 20 Section 6. Regulations.
- 21 The commission may promulgate regulations to administer the
- 22 fund.
- 23 Section 7. Appropriation.
- 24 The sum of \$2,500,000 is hereby appropriated to the
- 25 Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency for the fiscal
- 26 year July 1, 1990, to June 30, 1991, to be deposited into the
- 27 fund. This appropriation shall not lapse.
- 28 Section 8. Effective date.
- 29 This act shall take effect immediately.