

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, AUGUST 15, 2003

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AN ACT

1 Authorizing the Department of Transportation to sell certain  
2 vehicles used by the department to municipalities.

3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
4 hereby enacts as follows:

5 Section 1. Short title.

6 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Surplus  
7 Vehicles for Municipalities Act.

8 Section 2. Definitions.

9 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall  
10 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the  
11 context clearly indicates otherwise:

12 "Department." The Department of Transportation of the  
13 Commonwealth.

14 "Secretary." The Secretary of Transportation of the  
15 Commonwealth.

1 "Surplus vehicle." A vehicle that is owned by the Department  
2 of Transportation and declared by the department as surplus or  
3 unserviceable property.

4 Section 3. Surplus vehicles for municipalities.

5 (a) Municipality requests.--A municipality may request  
6 assistance from the secretary to purchase surplus vehicles for  
7 municipal use. The municipality must provide to the secretary  
8 information about the type of vehicle requested and information  
9 demonstrating both the urgent need for the vehicles and the  
10 inability of the municipality to purchase or lease new or used  
11 vehicles.

12 (b) Department review.--The department may sell surplus  
13 vehicles to municipalities selected by the department after  
14 reviewing their requests and available surplus vehicles. The  
15 secretary shall determine the reasonable price of the surplus  
16 vehicles.

17 Section 4. Effective date.

18 This act shall take effect in 60 days.