THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 950 Session of 2015

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BRIGGS, IRVIN, PASHINSKI	I, EVERETT A	ND MAHER, APRI	L 10, 2015

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 10, 2015

AN ACT

1 2 3	Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in general provisions relating to operation of vehicles, further providing for traffic-control signals.
4	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5	hereby enacts as follows:
6	Section 1. Section 3112 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7	Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:
8	§ 3112. Traffic-control signals.
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10	(b.1) Pedalcycle or motorcycle
11	(1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the
12	contrary, the driver of a pedalcycle or motorcycle
13	approaching an intersection that is controlled by a traffic-
14	control signal utilizing a vehicle detection device that is
15	inoperative due to the size of the pedalcycle or motorcycle
16	shall come to a full and complete stop at the intersection

1	and, after exercising due care as provided by law, may
2	proceed with due caution when it is safe to do so.
3	(2) It is not a defense to a violation of subsection (a)
4	(3) that the driver of a pedalcycle or motorcycle proceeded
5	under the belief that a traffic-control signal utilized a
6	vehicle detection device or was inoperative due to the size
7	of the pedalcycle or motorcycle when the signal did not
8	utilize a vehicle detection device or that any device was not
9	in fact inoperative due to the size of the pedalcycle or
10	motorcycle.
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12	Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.