THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, SEPTEMBER 1, 2016

AN ACT

| 1 2 3 | Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in official inspection stations, providing for notice of safety recall upon inspection. |
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| 4 | The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania |
| 5 | hereby enacts as follows: |
| 6 | Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated |
| 7 | Statutes is amended by adding a section to read: |
| 8 | § 4726.1. Notice of safety recall upon inspection. |
| 9 | (a) Safety recallUpon conducting a vehicle inspection, an |
| 10 | inspection official shall use the vehicle identification number |
| 11 | of the inspected vehicle to determine whether the vehicle is |
| 12 | subject to a safety recall. If the vehicle is subject to a |
| 13 | safety recall, the inspection official shall provide notice of |
| 14 | the safety recall to the owner or driver of the vehicle. |
| 15 | (b) Certificate of inspectionAn inspection official may |
| 16 | not refuse to issue a certificate of inspection under section |
| 17 | 4727 (relating to issuance of certificate of inspection) to the |
| 18 | owner or driver of an inspected vehicle due to a safety recall |

1 if the inspected vehicle otherwise meets the inspection criteria

2 <u>required under this chapter.</u>

- 3 (c) Definition.--As used in this section, the term "safety
- 4 recall" means a determination by a manufacturer or the National
- 5 <u>Highway Traffic Safety Administration that a vehicle has a</u>
- 6 <u>safety-related defect or does not comply with a Federal motor</u>
- 7 <u>vehicle safety standard.</u>
- 8 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.