THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 2384 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY THOMAS, OCTOBER 3, 2016

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT, OCTOBER 3, 2016

AN ACT

1 Providing for parking for individuals with a handicap.

2 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

3 hereby enacts as follows:

4 Section 1. Short title.

5 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Municipal 6 Parking for Individuals With a Handicap Act.

7 Section 2. Definitions.

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

11 "Municipality." Every county, city, borough, incorporated 12 town, township and home rule municipality.

13 Section 3. Parking for individuals with a handicap.

(a) General rule.--A municipality that allows a resident to request that the municipality designate a municipal parking space as reserved exclusively for parking by an individual with a handicap may limit access to that reserved parking space to a specific vehicle, license plate or other method of designation. (b) Limitation.--Handicapped parking spaces provided under
subsection (a) shall be limited to persons with an extreme
medical limitation or need as determined by the individual's
medical provider.

5 Section 4. Effective date.

6 This act shall take effect in 60 days.