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Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for chemical testing in accidents involving death or personal injury.

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1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, providing for chemical testing in accidents
3 involving death or personal injury.

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

6 Section 1. Section 3742 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:
8 § 3742. Accidents involving death or personal injury.

9 * * *

10 (a.1) Driving under the influence of alcohol or controlled
11 substance.--The following shall apply:

12 (1) A law enforcement official shall obtain a chemical
13 test sample for any driver of a vehicle involved in an
14 accident resulting in serious bodily injury or death of any
15 person.

16 (2) Once the results of the test obtained under
17 paragraph (1) are completed, medical personnel who
18 administered the testing shall immediately provide the

1 results to law enforcement officials.

2 (3) No law enforcement official shall be found in
3 violation of this subsection for any failure to comply with
4 paragraph (1), unless the failure to comply was done in bad
5 faith or involved recklessness or gross negligence.

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7 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.