THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY TRUITT, MURT, YOUNGBLOOD, MILLARD, ELLIS, METZGAR, CALTAGIRONE, BAKER, WATSON, MENTZER, R. MILLER, MAHONEY, SAYLOR, DeLUCA, MULLERY, HARHAI, SWANGER AND COX, MAY 13, 2014

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER AFFAIRS, MAY 13, 2014

AN ACT

Amending the act of December 4, 1996 (P.L.911, No.147), entitled 1 "An act providing for registration requirements for 2 telemarketers and for powers and duties of the Office of 3 Attorney General," further prohibiting unwanted telephone solicitation calls. 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 6 7 hereby enacts as follows: 8 Section 1. Section 5.2(k)(2) of the act of December 4, 1996 (P.L.911, No.147), known as the Telemarketer Registration Act, amended September 12, 2003 (P.L.105, No.22), is amended to read: 10 11 Section 5.2. Unwanted telephone solicitation calls prohibited. 12 (k) Investigation, enforcement and reporting. --13 * * * 14 15 The Attorney General shall remit [10%] 50% of any 16 civil penalty collected under this section to the person filing the complaint leading to the civil penalty. In no 17 event, however, shall the amount of this remittance exceed 18

- 1 [\$100] $\frac{$7,500}{}$ for any person.
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- 3 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.