AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2131

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE TAYLOR

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Amend Bill, page 1, lines 15 and 16, by striking out "by the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources" and inserting

under subsection (c)

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 17 and 18, by striking out "in which the vegetation is being planted" and inserting

and under the environmental conditions of the highway right-of-way

Amend Bill, page 1, lines 19 and 20; page 2, lines 1 through 4; by striking out "application by the department to the Department of" in line 19, all of line 20 on page 1 and all of lines 1 through 4 on page 2 and inserting

coordination by the department with the Controlled Plant and Noxious Weed Committee under 3 Pa.C.S. § 1511 (relating to designation of noxious weeds and controlled plants), the department may authorize the use of nonnative vegetation where the use of native vegetation is not feasible, provided that the nonnative vegetation is not:

(1) a federally listed invasive plant identified by the United States Department of Agriculture National Invasive Species Information Center; or

(2) a noxious weed or controlled plant under 3 Pa.C.S. Ch. 15 (relating to controlled plants and noxious weeds).

Amend Bill, page 2, line 5, by inserting after "the" where it occurs the first time

Controlled Plant and Noxious Weed Committee, the

Amend Bill, page 2, lines 5 and 6, by striking out ", the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources"

Amend Bill, page 2, line 7, by inserting after "zone"

and environmental conditions found on highway rights-of-way