

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 2256** Session of  
1986

INTRODUCED BY DISTLER, JOHNSON, TRELLO, SEMMEL, STABACK, MERRY,  
CARLSON, MACKOWSKI AND NOYE, MARCH 17, 1986

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 17, 1986

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further prohibiting the use of certain hearing  
3 impairment devices.

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

6 Section 1. Section 3314(a) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 3314. Prohibiting use of hearing impairment devices.

9 (a) General rule.--No driver shall operate a vehicle while  
10 wearing or using [one or more] two-sided headphones, earphones  
11 or any similar device which the department by regulation  
12 determines would impair the ability of the driver to hear  
13 traffic sounds.

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