

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 16, 1983

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further providing for exemptions from the axle tax.

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

5 Section 1. Section 9902 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
6 Consolidated Statutes, added December 8, 1982 (P.L.842, No.234),  
7 is amended to read:

8 § 9902. Imposition of axle tax.

9 (a) General rule.--In addition to any other tax imposed by  
10 law, all motor carriers shall pay an annual tax in the amount of  
11 \$36 per axle on every truck, truck tractor or combination having  
12 a gross weight or registered gross weight in excess of 26,000  
13 pounds operated on the highways of this Commonwealth.

14 (b) Exception.--The tax imposed by subsection (a) shall not  
15 apply to any motor carrier who enters this Commonwealth solely  
16 for the purpose of securing repairs or reconditioning of a motor  
17 carrier vehicle. Each repair facility shall furnish to any motor

1 carrier for purposes of this subsection a certificate to be  
2 carried by the motor carrier vehicle operator while the vehicle  
3 is in this Commonwealth for repair or reconditioning purposes.

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