THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 704

Session of 1989

INTRODUCED BY HERSHEY, PITTS, MORRIS, HALUSKA, SCHULER, BOYES, GEIST, DEMPSEY, JOHNSON, LEH, DISTLER, BARLEY, DeLUCA AND GODSHALL, MARCH 13, 1989

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 13, 1989

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, further providing for inability to pay fine and
- 3 costs.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 6504 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 6504. Inability to pay fine and costs.
- 9 (a) Order for installment payments.--Upon plea and proof
- 10 that a person is unable to pay any fine and costs imposed under
- 11 this title, a court may, in accordance with 42 Pa.C.S. § 9758
- 12 (relating to fine), order payment of the fine and costs in
- 13 installments and shall fix the amounts, times and manner of
- 14 payment.
- 15 (b) Imprisonment for nonpayment. -- Any person who does not
- 16 comply with an order entered under this section may be
- 17 imprisoned for a number of days equal to one day for each [\$10]
- 18 \$40 of the unpaid balance of the fine and costs.

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