THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 103

Session of 1991

INTRODUCED BY SAURMAN, CESSAR, JOHNSON, MICHLOVIC, TRELLO,
MAIALE, PHILLIPS, WOGAN, HERSHEY, BILLOW, ULIANA, GEIST,
CORNELL, KRUSZEWSKI, E. Z. TAYLOR, BELARDI AND SCHEETZ,
JANUARY 29, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, JANUARY 29, 1991

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, providing for the establishment of a program to
- 3 etch vehicle identification numbers on the windows of
- 4 vehicles.
- 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 6 hereby enacts as follows:
- 7 Section 1. Section 4524 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
- 8 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:
- 9 § 4524. Windshield obstructions and wipers.
- 10 * * *
- 11 (f) Exception. -- This section shall not apply to etchings on
- 12 the front windshield or side and rear windows made pursuant to
- 13 section 4733 (relating to antitheft etching program).
- 14 Section 2. Title 75 is amended by adding a section to read:
- 15 § 4733. Antitheft etching program.
- 16 <u>(a) Establishment.--The department shall establish a program</u>
- 17 that will enable a vehicle owner to have the vehicle's vehicle
- 18 identification number permanently etched on the front windshield

- and windows of the vehicle. The etching service shall be 1
- 2 provided at official inspection stations which may impose a
- 3 <u>reasonable charge for the service.</u>
- 4 (b) Rules and regulations. -- The department shall promulgate
- rules and regulations to establish and implement the program 5
- 6 provided for in subsection (a).
- Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days. 7