

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE BILL

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AND JAMES, MARCH 19, 1991

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, MARCH 25, 1992

## AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, further defining "emergency vehicle."

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

5 Section 1. The definition of "emergency vehicle" in section  
6 102 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is  
7 amended to read:

8 § 102. Definitions.

9 Subject to additional definitions contained in subsequent  
10 provisions of this title which are applicable to specific  
11 provisions of this title, the following words and phrases when  
12 used in this title shall have, unless the context clearly  
13 indicates otherwise, the meanings given to them in this section:

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15 "Emergency vehicle." A fire department vehicle, police

1 vehicle, sheriff vehicle, ambulance, blood-delivery vehicle,  
2 armed forces emergency vehicle, one vehicle operated by a  
3 coroner or chief county medical examiner and one vehicle  
4 operated by a chief deputy coroner or deputy chief county  
5 medical examiner used for answering emergency calls, or any  
6 other vehicle designated by the State Police under section 6106  
7 (relating to designation of emergency vehicles by Pennsylvania  
8 State Police), or a privately owned vehicle used in answering an  
9 emergency call when used by any of the following:

10 (1) A police chief and assistant chief.

11 (2) A fire chief, assistant chief and, when a fire  
12 company has three or more fire vehicles, a second or third  
13 assistant chief.

14 (3) A fire police captain and fire police lieutenant.

15 (4) An ambulance corps commander and assistant  
16 commander.

17 (5) A river rescue commander and assistant commander.

18 (6) A county emergency management coordinator.

19 (7) A fire marshal.

20 ~~(8) A member of an organized scuba rescue team~~ <—  
21 ~~affiliated with a police department, fire department or fire~~  
22 ~~company.~~

23 ~~(8) AN ORGANIZED SCUBA RESCUE TEAM COMMANDER AND~~ <—  
24 ~~ASSISTANT COMMANDER.~~

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