THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL No. 140 Session of 1995

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AN ACT

1 2 3	Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for accidents involving death or personal injury.
4	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5	hereby enacts as follows:
6	Section 1. Section 3742(b) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7	Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
8	§ 3742. Accidents involving death or personal injury.
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10	(b) Penalties
11	(1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, any
12	person violating this section commits a misdemeanor of the
13	[third] <u>first</u> degree.
14	(2) If the victim suffers serious bodily injury or
15	death, any person violating subsection (a) commits a
16	[misdemeanor of the first] <u>felony of the third</u> degree.
17	(3) If the violation of subsection (a) materially
18	contributes to any serious bodily injury suffered by the

victim, any person violating subsection (a) [commits a misdemeanor of the first degree and] shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to [pay a fine of not more than \$10,000 and to imprisonment for not less than 90 days nor more than five years.] <u>a mandatory minimum term of imprisonment of one year</u> <u>and a mandatory minimum fine of \$1,000.</u>

7 (4) If the violation of subsection (a) materially 8 contributes to the death of the victim, any person violating subsection (a) [commits a felony of the third degree and] 9 10 shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to [pay a fine of not more than \$15,000 and to imprisonment for not less than one 11 12 year nor more than seven years.] a mandatory minimum term of 13 imprisonment of two years and a mandatory minimum fine of \$2,500. 14

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