## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 91 Session of 1997

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, JANUARY 28, 1997

## AN ACT

1 2 3	Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for injuring or tampering with emergency apparatus.
4	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5	hereby enacts as follows:
6	Section 1. Section 3305 of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
7	Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
8	§ 3305. Injuring or tampering with <u>emergency vehicles</u> , fire
9	apparatus, hydrants, etc.
10	(a) Emergency vehiclesWhoever intentionally or recklessly
11	damages or tampers with an emergency vehicle, as defined in 75
12	Pa.C.S. § 102 (relating to definitions), commits a misdemeanor
13	of the third degree.
14	(b) Fire equipmentWhoever willfully and maliciously cuts,
15	injures, damages[,] or destroys or defaces any fire hydrant or
16	any fire hose or [fire engine, or] other public or private fire
17	equipment, or any apparatus appertaining to the same, commits a

- 1 misdemeanor of the third degree.
- 2 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.