THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY LAUGHLIN, GEORGE, DeLUCA, TIGUE, PIPPY, SOLOBAY, SHANER, THOMAS, BEBKO-JONES, WOJNAROSKI, BELFANTI, TRAVAGLIO, MELIO, ROBERTS, YOUNGBLOOD, M. COHEN, HARHAI, COLAFELLA, WASHINGTON AND RAMOS, FEBRUARY 16, 2000

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, FEBRUARY 16, 2000

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, providing for special plates for Operation
- 3 Lifesaver; and establishing the Operation Lifesaver Fund.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 7 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:
- 8 § 1361. Special plates for Operation Lifesaver.
- 9 (a) Plate.--Upon application of any person, accompanied by a
- 10 fee of \$20 which shall be in addition to the annual registration
- 11 fee and by such documentation as the department shall require,
- 12 the department shall issue to such person a special registration
- 13 plate bearing the Operation Lifesaver logo and designating the
- 14 vehicle so registered as belonging to a person who has an
- 15 interest in the purposes and goals of Operation Lifesaver. The
- 16 special registration plate may be used only on one passenger
- 17 vehicle or truck with a gross vehicle weight rating of not more

- 1 than 9,000 pounds.
- 2 (b) Use of fee.--The \$20 fee collected under subsection (a)
- 3 shall be paid into the Operation Lifesaver Fund, which is hereby
- 4 <u>established as a separate account in the State Treasury. The</u>
- 5 moneys in this account are hereby appropriated to the Department
- 6 of Transportation on a continuing basis to fund the provisions
- 7 of Operation Lifesaver programs conducted by railroads within
- 8 the Commonwealth as the department deems appropriate.
- 9 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.