THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1511 Session of 2001

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MAY 3, 2001

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, prohibiting the implementation or continued use of
- 3 a vehicle emission inspection program until certain Federal
- 4 emission standards are implemented.
- 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 6 hereby enacts as follows:
- 7 Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 8 Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:
- 9 § 4706.2. Prohibition on emission inspection program.
- 10 Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this chapter or any
- 11 law to the contrary, neither the department nor any other
- 12 department or agency of the Commonwealth shall continue or
- 13 implement any vehicle emission inspection program until all of
- 14 the United States Environmental Protection Agency's proposed
- 15 particulate emission standards for heavy duty engines and heavy
- 16 duty vehicles take full effect. Any vehicle emission program
- 17 currently in effect shall cease immediately.

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