

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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ROONEY, PISTELLA, WANSACZ AND J. WILLIAMS, MAY 13, 2002

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MAY 13, 2002

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for learners' permits.

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

5 Section 1. Section 1505(b) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
6 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

7 § 1505. Learners' permits.

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9 (b) Learner must be accompanied.--A learner's permit
10 entitles the person to whom it was issued to drive vehicles and
11 combinations of vehicles of the class or classes specified, but
12 only while the holder of the learner's permit is accompanied by
13 and under the immediate supervision of a person who:

14 (1) is at least 21 years of age or, if the spouse of the
15 learner's permit holder, is at least 18 years of age; or, if
16 a parent, guardian or person in loco parentis of the

1 learner's permit holder, is at least 18 years of age;

2 (2) is licensed in this Commonwealth to drive vehicles
3 of the class then being driven by the holder of the learner's
4 permit; [and]

5 (3) is actually occupying a seat beside the holder of
6 the learner's permit unless the vehicle is a motorcycle[.];
7 and

8 (4) is not under the influence of alcohol or controlled
9 substance as defined in section 3731(a) (relating to driving
10 under influence of alcohol or controlled substance) and as
11 determined using the evidentiary rules set forth in section
12 3731(a.1).

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