THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

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Session of 2005

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REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, APRIL 18, 2005

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for aggravated
- 3 assault.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 2702(b) and (c) of Title 18 of the
- 7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, amended November 29, 2004
- 8 (P.L.1349, No.173) and November 30, 2004 (P.L.1618, No.207), are
- 9 amended to read:
- 10 § 2702. Aggravated assault.
- 11 * * *
- 12 (b) Grading.--Aggravated assault under subsection (a)(1) and
- 13 (2) is a felony of the first degree. Aggravated assault under
- 14 subsection (a)(3), (4), (5), (6) [and] or (7) is a felony of the
- 15 second degree.
- 16 (c) Officers, employees, etc., enumerated.--The officers,
- 17 agents, employees and other persons referred to in subsection
- 18 (a) shall be as follows:

- 1 (1) Police officer.
- 2 (2) Firefighter.
- 3 (3) County adult probation or parole officer.
- 4 (4) County juvenile probation or parole officer.
- 5 (5) An agent of the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and
- 6 Parole.
- 7 (6) Sheriff.
- 8 (7) Deputy sheriff.
- 9 (8) Liquor control enforcement agent.
- 10 (9) Officer or employee of a correctional institution,
- 11 county jail or prison, juvenile detention center or any other
- 12 facility to which the person has been ordered by the court
- pursuant to a petition alleging delinquency under 42 Pa.C.S.
- 14 Ch. 63 (relating to juvenile matters).
- 15 (10) Judge of any court in the unified judicial system.
- 16 (11) The Attorney General.
- 17 (12) A deputy attorney general.
- 18 (13) A district attorney.
- 19 (14) An assistant district attorney.
- 20 (15) A public defender.
- 21 (16) An assistant public defender.
- 22 (17) A Federal law enforcement official.
- 23 (18) A State law enforcement official.
- 24 (19) A local law enforcement official.
- 25 (20) Any person employed to assist or who assists any
- 26 Federal, State or local law enforcement official.
- 27 (21) Emergency medical services personnel.
- 28 (22) Parking enforcement officer.
- 29 (23) A magisterial district judge.
- 30 (24) A constable.

- 1 (25) A deputy constable.
- 2 (26) A psychiatric aide.
- 3 (27) A teaching staff member, a school board member or
- 4 other employee, including a student employee, of any
- 5 elementary or secondary publicly funded educational
- 6 institution, any elementary or secondary private school
- 7 licensed by the Department of Education or any elementary or
- 8 secondary parochial school while acting in the scope of his
- 9 or her employment or because of his or her employment
- 10 relationship to the school.
- 11 (28) Governor.
- 12 (29) Lieutenant Governor.
- 13 (30) Auditor General.
- 14 (31) State Treasurer.
- 15 (32) Member of the General Assembly.
- 16 (33) An employee of the Department of Environmental
- 17 Protection.
- 18 (34) An individual engaged in the private detective
- 19 business as defined in section 2(a) and (b) of the act of
- 20 August 21, 1953 (P.L.1273, No.361), known as The Private
- 21 Detective Act of 1953.
- 22 (35) An employee or agent of a county children and youth
- 23 social service agency or of the legal representative of such
- agency.
- 25 (36) A public utility employee or an employee of an
- 26 electric cooperative.
- 27 (37) Any employee of a city, borough, incorporated town
- 28 <u>or township.</u>
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- 30 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.