THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1882 Session of 2007

INTRODUCED BY MELIO, BOBACK, BRENNAN, CREIGHTON, DeLUCA, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, HELM, HENNESSEY, HORNAMAN, KOTIK, MOYER, MUNDY, NAILOR, PETRONE, REICHLEY, SHIMKUS, SIPTROTH, WALKO, WATSON, YOUNGBLOOD AND MURT, OCTOBER 3, 2007

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, OCTOBER 3, 2007

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
- 2 Statutes, requiring the Department of Transportation to
- 3 establish, advertise and maintain a toll-free hotline for
- 4 motorists to report incidents of aggressive driving.
- 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 § 6118. Toll-free hotline to report aggressive driving.
- 10 (a) General rule. -- The department shall establish, advertise
- 11 and maintain a toll-free hotline for motorists to report
- 12 <u>observations of aggressive driving and to request assistance.</u>
- 13 (b) Cooperation.--The Pennsylvania State Police and local
- 14 law enforcement officers shall cooperate with the department to
- 15 receive information obtained by the department from the toll-
- 16 <u>free hotline and to provide assistance to motorists who make the</u>
- 17 reports.
- 18 (c) Construction. -- Nothing in this section shall be

- 1 construed to require that a complaint of aggressive driving made
- 2 to the hotline shall lead to an investigation of a violation of
- 3 this title.
- 4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.