

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## HOUSE BILL

No. 2253 Session of  
2010

INTRODUCED BY PHILLIPS AND FAIRCHILD, FEBRUARY 9, 2010

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, APRIL 26, 2010

## AN ACT

1 Designating a portion of STATE Route 11 from THE BRIDGE CARRYING  
2 STATE ROUTE 11 OVER THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER IN POINT TOWNSHIP,  
3 NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, KNOWN AS the Barry King Memorial  
4 Bridge, to the Montour County line as the Sgt. Brett D. Swank  
5 Memorial Highway. ←

6 The General Assembly finds and declares as follows:

7 (1) Brett D. Swank graduated from Shikellamy High School  
8 and was accepted to Colorado State University, but deferred  
9 attendance because he wanted to serve his country by  
10 enlisting in the United States Army.

11 (2) Brett D. Swank began basic training in the United  
12 States Army on September 11, 2001, and upon completion of  
13 training became an Army Ranger.

14 (3) Sergeant Swank was assigned to 1st Battalion, 509th  
15 Infantry Regiment, Fort Polk, Louisiana.

16 (4) Sergeant Swank deployed to Iraq in July 2004 in  
17 support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

18 (5) While in the courageous service of his country,  
19 Sergeant Swank was killed in Baghdad, Iraq, on January 24,

1       2005, when an improvised explosive device detonated near his  
2       position.

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

5       Section 1.   Sgt. Brett D. Swank Memorial Highway.

6       (a)   Designation.--The portion of ~~highway~~ STATE Route 11 from   ←  
7       the BRIDGE CARRYING STATE ROUTE 11 OVER THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER IN   ←  
8       POINT TOWNSHIP, NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY, KNOWN AS THE Barry King  
9       Memorial Bridge to the Montour County line is hereby designated  
10      AS the Sgt. Brett D. Swank Memorial Highway.                   ←

11      (b)   Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and  
12      maintain signs to traffic in both directions to indicate the  
13      designation under subsection (a).

14      Section 2.   Effective date.

15      This act shall take effect in 60 days.