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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 28, 2011

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for grounds for refusing
3 registration.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1306 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 1306. Grounds for refusing registration.

9 The department shall refuse registration, renewal or transfer
10 of registration when any of the following circumstances exists:

11 (1) The applicant is not entitled to registration under
12 the provisions of this chapter.

13 (2) The applicant has at registration or titling
14 neglected or refused to furnish the department with the
15 information required on the appropriate official form, or any
16 reasonable additional information required by the department.

17 (3) The department has reasonable grounds to believe

1 that the application contains false or fraudulent
2 information, or that the vehicle is stolen, which fact the
3 department shall ascertain by reference to the stolen vehicle
4 file required to be maintained under section 7114 (relating
5 to records of stolen vehicles), or that the granting of
6 registration would constitute a fraud against the rightful
7 owner or other person having a valid lien upon the vehicle.

8 (4) The fees required by law have not been paid.

9 (5) The vehicle is not constructed or equipped as
10 required by this title.

11 (6) The registration of the vehicle stands suspended for
12 any reason as provided for in this title.

13 (7) Self-certification of financial responsibility, as
14 required under section 1305(d) (relating to application for
15 registration), is not filed with the registration
16 application.

17 (10) An out-of-service order has been issued for the
18 vehicle, the owner or operator by the department or the
19 United States Department of Transportation.

20 (11) Self-certification of current safety inspection for
21 a motor carrier vehicle, as required by section 1309
22 (relating to renewal of registration), is not filed with the
23 application for renewal of registration.

24 (12) The applicant is delinquent in the payment of any
25 finances, including surcharges, penalties and other costs or
26 fees imposed by a court of this Commonwealth for any
27 violation of law. The department may register, renew or
28 transfer a registration subject to this paragraph upon
29 receipt of written notice, or notification by electronic
30 mail, from a court that the applicant has paid all fines,

1 including any surcharges, penalties and costs associated with
2 the violations.

3 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.