

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 369 Session of 2011

INTRODUCED BY D. WHITE, FEBRUARY 4, 2011

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JUNE 7, 2011

AN ACT

~~Amending Title 74 (Transportation) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in scenic highways, providing for the designation of a portion of U.S. 219, S.R. 969, S.R. 879, S.R. 153, S.R. 453, S.R. 1001, Bilger's Rocks Road and the Greenville Pike in Clearfield County as scenic byways.~~



AMENDING TITLE 74 (TRANSPORTATION) OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES, IN SCENIC HIGHWAYS, PROVIDING FOR THE DESIGNATION OF A PORTION OF U.S. 219, U.S. 322, STATE ROUTE 969, STATE ROUTE 879, STATE ROUTE 153, STATE ROUTE 453, STATE ROUTE 1001, STATE ROUTE 729, STATE ROUTE 4005 AND THE GREENVILLE PIKE AND BILGER'S ROCKS ROAD IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY AS SCENIC BYWAYS.



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

Section 1. Title 74 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

~~§ 8307. Designation a portion of U.S. 219, S.R. 969, S.R. 879, S.R. 153, S.R. 453, S.R. 1001, Bilger's Rocks Road and the Greenville Pike in Clearfield County as scenic byways.~~



~~(a) General rule. Because of their outstanding scenic, historic, recreational, cultural and archeological~~

1 ~~characteristics, a portion of U.S. 219, S.R. 969, S.R. 879, S.R.~~
2 ~~153, S.R. 453, S.R. 1001, Bilger's Rocks Road and the Greenville~~
3 ~~Pike in Clearfield County are designated as scenic byways.~~

4 ~~(b) Effect of designation. No outdoor advertising device,~~
5 ~~as defined in section 3 of the act of December 15, 1971~~
6 ~~(P.L.596, No.160), known as the Outdoor Advertising Control Act~~
7 ~~of 1971, may be erected if the sign is visible from the main~~
8 ~~traveled way of the scenic byway and the purpose of the sign is~~
9 ~~that its message be read from the main traveled way of the~~
10 ~~scenic byway, except:~~

11 ~~(1) the official signs and notices which are required or~~
12 ~~authorized by law and which conform to the national standards~~
13 ~~promulgated by the United States Secretary of Transportation~~
14 ~~pursuant to 23 U.S.C. § 131 (relating to control of outdoor~~
15 ~~advertising);~~

16 ~~(2) outdoor advertising devices advertising the sale or~~
17 ~~lease of the real property upon which they are located;~~

18 ~~(3) outdoor advertising devices advertising activities~~
19 ~~conducted on the property on which they are located,~~
20 ~~including devices which display a message that may be changed~~
21 ~~at reasonable intervals by electronic process or remote~~
22 ~~control; and~~

23 ~~(4) directional signs, including, but not limited to,~~
24 ~~signs pertaining to natural wonders, scenic and historical~~
25 ~~attractions and other points of interest to the traveling~~
26 ~~public which conform to the national standards promulgated by~~
27 ~~the United States Secretary of Transportation pursuant to 23~~
28 ~~U.S.C. § 131.~~

29 ~~§ 8307. DESIGNATION OF THE WEST BRANCH SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BYWAY~~ ←
30 ~~IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY, A PORTION OF U.S. 219, U.S.~~

1 322, STATE ROUTE 969, STATE ROUTE 879, STATE ROUTE
2 153, STATE ROUTE 453, STATE ROUTE 1001, STATE ROUTE
3 729, STATE ROUTE 4005 AND THE GREENVILLE PIKE AND
4 BILGER'S ROCKS ROAD IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY, A TOTAL OF
5 64 MILES, AS A SCENIC BYWAY.

6 (A) GENERAL RULE.--BECAUSE OF ITS OUTSTANDING SCENIC,
7 HISTORIC, RECREATIONAL, CULTURAL AND ARCHEOLOGICAL
8 CHARACTERISTICS, THE FOLLOWING IS DESIGNATED AS A SCENIC BYWAY:
9 U.S. 219 IN BELL TOWNSHIP AND CONTINUING ON U.S. 219 ON MAHAFFEY
10 BOROUGH AND GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP, SEGMENT NO. 270/450, LUMBER CITY
11 HIGHWAY TO STATE ROUTE 969, LUMBER CITY HIGHWAY, SEGMENT NO.
12 010/220, STATE ROUTE 453 IN GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP TO PENN TOWNSHIP
13 TO LUMBER CITY BOROUGH TO PIKE TOWNSHIP TO CURWENSVILLE BOROUGH
14 TO STATE ROUTE 453, SEGMENT NO. 410/420, STATE ROUTE 879,
15 CURWENSVILLE BOROUGH TO STATE ROUTE 879 TO SEGMENT NO. 120/250,
16 STATE ROUTE 1001, CURWENSVILLE BOROUGH TO PIKE TOWNSHIP TO
17 LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP TO STATE ROUTE 1001, SEGMENT NO. 080/090,
18 STATE ROUTE 153, LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP TO CLEARFIELD BOROUGH TO
19 STATE ROUTE 153, SEGMENT NO. 370/400, U.S. 322, CLEARFIELD
20 BOROUGH TO U.S. 322, SEGMENT NO. 440/414, STATE ROUTE 1001,
21 CLEARFIELD BOROUGH TO LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP TO STATE ROUTE 1001,
22 SEGMENT NO. 112/160, STATE ROUTE 879, LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP TO STATE
23 ROUTE 879, SEGMENT NO. 330/800, LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP TO GOSHEN
24 TOWNSHIP TO GIRARD TOWNSHIP TO CONVINGTON TOWNSHIP TO KARTHAUS
25 TOWNSHIP TO COUNTY LINE. BILGER'S ROCK LOOP, STATE ROUTE 729,
26 SEGMENT NO. 420/490, U.S. 219, LUMBER CITY BOROUGH TO PENN
27 TOWNSHIP TO GRAMPAN BOROUGH TO U.S. 219, SEGMENT NO. 540/600,
28 BILGER'S ROCKS ROAD T-203, GRAMPAN BOROUGH TO BLOOM TOWNSHIP
29 AND BILGER'S ROCKS ROAD T-203 TO STATE ROUTE 4005, BLOOM
30 TOWNSHIP TO PIKE TOWNSHIP TO STATE ROUTE 4005, SEGMENT NO.

1 040/010 STATE ROUTE 879, PIKE TOWNSHIP AND STATE ROUTE 879,
2 SEGMENT NO. 90/120, STATE ROUTE 453, PIKE TOWNSHIP TO
3 CURWENSVILLE BOROUGH. PENFIELD LOOP, U.S. 322, SEGMENT NO.
4 414/301, STATE ROUTE 153, CLEARFIELD BOROUGH TO LAWRENCE
5 TOWNSHIP TO PINE TOWNSHIP TO STATE ROUTE 153, SEGMENT NO.
6 410/470, INTERSTATE 80 TO PINE TOWNSHIP.

7 (B) EFFECT OF DESIGNATION.--NO OUTDOORS ADVERTISING DEVICE,
8 AS DEFINED IN SECTION 3 OF THE ACT OF DECEMBER 15, 1971
9 (P.L.596, NO.160), KNOWN AS THE OUTDOOR ADVERTISING CONTROL ACT
10 OF 1971, MAY BE ERECTED IF THE SIGN IS VISIBLE FROM THE MAIN-
11 TRAVELED WAY OF THE SCENIC BYWAY AND THE PURPOSE OF THE SIGN IS
12 THAT ITS MESSAGE BE READ FROM THE MAIN-TRAVELED WAY OF THE
13 SCENIC BYWAY, EXCEPT:

14 (1) THE OFFICIAL SIGNS AND NOTICES WHICH ARE REQUIRED OR
15 AUTHORIZED BY LAW AND WHICH CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL STANDARDS
16 PROMULGATED BY THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION
17 PURSUANT TO 23 U.S.C. § 131 (RELATING TO CONTROL OF OUTDOOR
18 ADVERTISING);

19 (2) OUTDOOR ADVERTISING DEVICES ADVERTISING THE SALE OR
20 LEASE OF THE REAL PROPERTY UPON WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED;

21 (3) OUTDOOR ADVERTISING DEVICES ADVERTISING ACTIVITIES
22 CONDUCTED ON THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED,
23 INCLUDING DEVICES WHICH DISPLAY A MESSAGE THAT MAY BE CHANGED
24 AT REASONABLE INTERVALS BY ELECTRONIC PROCESS OR REMOTE
25 CONTROL; AND

26 (4) DIRECTIONAL SIGNS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
27 SIGNS PERTAINING TO NATURAL WONDERS, SCENIC AND HISTORICAL
28 ATTRACTIONS AND OTHER POINTS OF INTEREST TO THE TRAVELING
29 PUBLIC WHICH CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL STANDARDS PROMULGATED BY
30 THE UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION PURSUANT TO 23

1 U.S.C. § 131.

2 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.