

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2122 Session of
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INTRODUCED BY REGAN, BOBACK, PICKETT, LUCAS, GROVE, HAGGERTY,
D. COSTA, BAKER, BLOOM, COHEN, SANKEY, ROCK, ROZZI, KORTZ,
KAUFFMAN, KINSEY, GINGRICH, GILLEN, MURT AND MOUL,
MARCH 19, 2014

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 19, 2014

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the offense of
3 robbery.

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

6 Section 1. Section 3701(b) of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read:
8 § 3701. Robbery.

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10 (b) Grading.--

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12 (3) The following shall apply:

13 (i) The Pennsylvania Commission on Sentencing,
14 pursuant to 42 Pa.C.S. § 2154 (relating to adoption of
15 guidelines for sentencing), shall provide for a
16 sentencing enhancement if during the commission of the
17 offense under this section or immediate flight therefrom,

1 the actor knowingly concealed or attempted to conceal all
2 or part of the actor's face in order to hide the actor's
3 identity from any individual.

4 (ii) The provisions of this paragraph shall not be
5 an element of the crime, and notice of the provisions of
6 this paragraph shall not be required prior to conviction.
7 Reasonable notice of the Commonwealth's intention to
8 proceed using the sentencing enhancement provided for
9 under this paragraph shall be provided after conviction
10 and before sentencing.

11 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.