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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 1996 Session of  
2015

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INTRODUCED BY MALONEY, MACKENZIE, BENNINGHOFF, HENNESSEY,  
TOEPEL, DUSH, MURT, MARSICO, ELLIS, VEREB, COHEN, SONNEY,  
COX, QUIGLEY, HICKERNELL, KOTIK, V. BROWN, ROZZI, MILLARD,  
READSHAW, WHEELAND, D. COSTA, WARD, LONGIETTI, CONKLIN,  
DIGIROLAMO, DAVIS, MAJOR, A. HARRIS, MILNE, FARINA AND  
PHILLIPS-HILL, APRIL 13, 2016

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 13, 2016

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AN ACT

1 Designating a portion of State Route 1010 in Berks County as the  
2 DeLight Breidegam, Jr., Memorial Highway.

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

5 Section 1. DeLight Breidegam, Jr., Memorial Highway.

6 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as  
7 follows:

8 (1) DeLight Breidegam, Jr., attended Gettysburg College  
9 and served in the United States Air Force during World War  
10 II.

11 (2) Mr. Breidegam has been honored by many organizations  
12 for his leadership, altruism and philanthropy.

13 (3) Among Mr. Breidegam's many awards are the World  
14 Entrepreneur Award from Kutztown University, Outstanding  
15 Business Leader from Northwood University, Business Person of  
16 the Year from the Berks County Chamber of Commerce, the

1 Leadership by Example Award from the Berks County Senior  
2 Citizens Council, the Junior Achievement Hall of Fame of  
3 Berks County and the Eberly Medal for Philanthropy and  
4 Volunteerism from the Fund for the Advancement of the State  
5 System of Higher Education, Inc.

6 (4) Mr. Breidegam also held honorary degrees from  
7 Moravian College and Kutztown University and served both  
8 schools as a board member.

9 (5) Mr. Breidegam was a prominent supporter of our  
10 military, serving as a member of the Southeastern  
11 Pennsylvania Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve  
12 Committee and received the Employer Support of the Guard and  
13 Reserve Award from the Department of Defense National  
14 Committee.

15 (6) Mr. Breidegam also received the Army Community of  
16 Excellence Award and the Freedom Award from the Department of  
17 Defense National Committee of Employer Support of the Guard  
18 and Reserve.

19 (7) Despite his long list of awards, honors and  
20 achievements, Mr. Breidegam always credited his success to  
21 those who worked around him.

22 (b) Designation.--The portion of State Route 1010 in Berks  
23 County is hereby designated the DeLight Breidegam, Jr., Memorial  
24 Highway.

25 (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and  
26 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to  
27 traffic in both directions on the highway.

28 Section 2. Effective date.

29 This act shall take effect in 60 days.