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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS AND EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS, MARCH 17, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 35 (Health and Safety) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in Commonwealth services, providing
3 for certified fire protection specialist misrepresentation.

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

6 Section 1. Chapter 73 of Title 35 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subchapter to read:

8 SUBCHAPTER C.1

9 CERTIFIED FIRE PROTECTION SPECIALIST MISREPRESENTATION

10 Sec.

11 7341. Scope of subchapter.

12 7342. Fire protection specialist certification.

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14 This subchapter relates to certified fire protection
15 specialist misrepresentation.

16 § 7342. Fire protection specialist certification.

17 (a) Misrepresentation.--An individual who is not duly
18 certified as a fire protection specialist by the National Fire

1 Protection Association may not hold himself out as a certified
2 fire protection specialist with the intent to deceive another
3 person.

4 (b) Certification list.--To the greatest extent possible,
5 the Office of the State Fire Commissioner shall obtain and
6 maintain a current list of certified fire protection specialists
7 as provided by the National Fire Protection Association.

8 (c) Penalties.--An individual who violates subsection (a)
9 commits a summary offense and shall, upon conviction, be
10 sentenced as follows:

11 (1) For a first offense, to pay a fine of not more than
12 \$250.

13 (2) For a second or subsequent offense, to pay a fine of
14 not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than six
15 months, or both.

16 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 30 days.