THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2162 Session of 2018

INTRODUCED BY MURT, BIZZARRO, BURNS, CALTAGIRONE, COX, DAVIS, DIGIROLAMO, DONATUCCI, DUSH, KINSEY, LONGIETTI, J. McNEILL, MILLARD, PICKETT, READSHAW, RYAN, SCHWEYER, SONNEY, WHEELAND, YOUNGBLOOD, WARD AND HEFFLEY, MARCH 26, 2018

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 26, 2018

AN ACT

- Designating a portion of State Route 2050 in Montgomery County as the First Lieutenant Geoffrey Lawrence Ham Memorial Highway.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. First Lieutenant Geoffrey Lawrence Ham Memorial
- 7 Highway.
- 8 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
- 9 follows:
- 10 (1) Geoffrey Lawrence Ham graduated from Lower Moreland
- 11 High School in 1961 and Temple University in 1965, where he
- 12 participated in the ROTC program.
- 13 (2) First Lieutenant Ham served as a rifle instructor at
- 14 the United States Infantry School at Fort Benning, Georgia,
- before his deployment to Vietnam in March 1967.
- 16 (3) On June 28, 1967, First Lieutenant Ham was killed in
- 17 action in Kontum Province.

- 1 (4) First Lieutenant Ham received the National Defense
- 2 Service Medal, the Combat Infantry Badge, the Vietnam
- 3 Campaign Medal and the Purple Heart.
- 4 (b) Designation. -- The section of State Route 2050 from
- 5 Byberry Road to County Line Road in Lower Moreland Township,
- 6 Montgomery County, is designated the First Lieutenant Geoffrey
- 7 Lawrence Ham Memorial Highway.
- 8 (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
- 9 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to
- 10 traffic in both directions on the highway.
- 11 Section 2. Effective date.
- 12 This act shall take effect in 60 days.