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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY GABLER, BERNSTINE, BROWN, CIRESI, HELM, HILL-EVANS, IRVIN, JAMES, KORTZ, McNEILL, MILLARD, MURT, OWLETT, PICKETT, GILLEN AND HENNESSEY, FEBRUARY 4, 2019

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, APRIL 10, 2019

AN ACT

Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated 1 Statutes, in other required equipment, further providing for 2 visual signals on authorized vehicles. 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 4 hereby enacts as follows: 6 Section 1. Section 4572(b) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania <--Consolidated Statutes is amended to read: 8 SECTION 1. SECTION 4572 OF TITLE 75 OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SUBSECTION TO READ: 10 § 4572. Visual signals on authorized vehicles. 11 12 (b) Flashing or revolving yellow lights. Vehicles <--13 authorized pursuant to the provisions of sections 6106 (relating 14 to designation of emergency vehicles by Pennsylvania State 15 Police) and 6107 (relating to designation of authorized vehicles-16 by department), school vehicles, tow trucks and vehicles used

for snow removal may be equipped with one or more flashing or

- 1 revolving yellow lights. The manner in which the light or lights-
- 2 shall be displayed and the intensity shall be determined by
- 3 regulation of the department.
- 4 (B.1) YELLOW FLASHING OR REVOLVING LIGHTS ON SCHOOL

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- 5 VEHICLES. -- SCHOOL VEHICLES MAY BE EQUIPPED WITH A PERMANENTLY
- 6 AFFIXED OR REMOVABLE YELLOW FLASHING OR REVOLVING LIGHT, AS
- 7 DETERMINED BY REGULATION OF THE DEPARTMENT. THE LIGHT SHALL ONLY
- 8 BE ACTIVATED WHEN THE VEHICLE IS PREPARING TO STOP AND STOPPED
- 9 <u>ON A HIGHWAY TO LOAD AND UNLOAD STUDENTS.</u>
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- 11 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.