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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY SNYDER, KOSIEROWSKI, T. DAVIS, HILL-EVANS, GUENST,  
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ROWE, FARRY AND CIRESI, MARCH 23, 2022

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 23, 2022

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in licensing of drivers, further providing for  
3 issuance and content of driver's license.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1510 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:  
8 § 1510. Issuance and content of driver's license.

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10 (a.2) Volunteer firefighter's driver's license  
11 designation.--

12 (1) Beginning as soon as practicable, but no later than  
13 18 months following the effective date of this subsection,  
14 the department shall issue a driver's license or  
15 identification card that clearly indicates that the person is  
16 a volunteer firefighter. A qualified applicant is an  
17 individual who currently serves as a member of a volunteer

1 fire company as defined in 35 Pa.C.S. § 7802 (relating to  
2 definitions).

3 (2) Upon receipt of an application from a qualified  
4 applicant accompanied by documentation required by the  
5 department, the department shall independently validate the  
6 documentation and immediately issue to the individual a  
7 driver's license or identification card displaying a  
8 volunteer firefighter designation. There shall be no fee for  
9 the designation, but the qualified applicant must pay any  
10 renewal or duplicate driver's license or identification card  
11 fees.

12 (3) A person who falsely claims to be a volunteer  
13 firefighter on an application for a driver's license or  
14 identification card is subject to the penalty under 18  
15 Pa.C.S. § 4904(b) (relating to unsworn falsification to  
16 authorities).

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