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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 640 Session of  
2023

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INTRODUCED BY LANGERHOLC, MAY 1, 2023

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REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, MAY 1, 2023

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AN ACT

1 Designating a bridge, identified as Bridge Key 11781, on that  
2 portion of State Route 3004 over the West Branch Susquehanna  
3 River, Burnside Township, Clearfield County, as the United  
4 States Army Sergeant Harold Koller Memorial Bridge.

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

7 Section 1. United States Army Sergeant Harold Koller Memorial  
8 Bridge.

9 (a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as  
10 follows:

11 (1) Sergeant Koller started his service in the United  
12 States Army in 1962.

13 (2) Sergeant Koller's primary unit was C Company, 1st  
14 Battalion, 327th Infantry.

15 (3) Sergeant Koller was also known by many as "Butch."

16 (4) Sergeant Koller was killed in action in the Phu Yen  
17 Province, South Vietnam, on September 2, 1966.

18 (5) Sergeant Koller's name is located on the Vietnam  
19 Memorial Wall Panel 10E Line 62.

1           (6) Sergeant Koller received the Bronze Star, the Purple  
2 Heart, the Army Presidential Unit Citation, the Army Good  
3 Conduct Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Vietnam  
4 Gallantry Cross Unit Citation, the Republic of Vietnam  
5 Campaign Medal and the National Defense Service Medal.

6           (7) This designation is supported by the Clymer American  
7 Legion Post 222.

8           (b) Designation.--The bridge, identified as Bridge Key  
9 11781, located on State Route 3004 over the West Branch of the  
10 Susquehanna River, Burnside Township, Clearfield County, is  
11 designated the United States Army Sergeant Harold Koller  
12 Memorial Bridge.

13          (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and  
14 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the bridge to  
15 traffic in both directions on the bridge.

16 Section 2. Effective date.

17          This act shall take effect in 60 days.