THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1067 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY SCHLEGEL CULVER, FEE, RYAN, MILLARD, MASSER, DUNBAR, MARSHALL, PICKETT, HICKERNELL, IRVIN, OBERLANDER, GROVE AND NEILSON, APRIL 5, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 5, 2019

AN ACT

Repealing the act of May 28, 1943 (P.L.796, No.333), entitled 1 "An act establishing as state highways, certain county 2 highways and requiring their construction, repair and 3 maintenance as such." 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 6 hereby enacts as follows: 7 Section 1. The act of May 28, 1943 (P.L.796, No.333), entitled "An act establishing as state highways, certain county 8 highways and requiring their construction, repair and maintenance as such," is repealed: 10 11 AN ACT 12 Establishing as state highways, certain county highways and requiring their construction, repair and maintenance as such. 13 14 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 15 hereby enacts as follows: 16 Section 1. That where any county is responsible for the construction or maintenance of any highway, such highway shall, 17 if and when the county commissioners consent thereto by 18

- 1 resolution, a copy of which shall be filed in the office of the
- 2 clerk of the courts of the proper county and with the Department
- 3 of Highways, be adopted by the Commonwealth as a State highway
- 4 and shall thereafter be constructed, repaired and maintained at
- 5 the expense of the Commonwealth as State highways are now
- 6 constructed, repaired and maintained under the provisions of
- 7 existing laws: Provided, That no highway shall be taken over by
- 8 the Commonwealth under the provisions of this act, unless such
- 9 highway was a county highway on the twenty-eighth day of May,
- 10 one thousand nine hundred forty-three, nor if a contract for the
- 11 improvement thereof has been entered into between a contractor
- 12 and the Commonwealth or local authorities, or both, until such
- 13 contract shall have been completed: Provided further, That the
- 14 Commonwealth shall not become responsible under the terms of
- 15 this act for any bridge, viaduct or other structure, except
- 16 drainage structures, having a total spanned length of ten feet
- or less, measured along the center line of the highway.]
- 18 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.