

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 190 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY QUINN, HILL-EVANS, KORTZ AND GABLER, JANUARY 28, 2019

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, OCTOBER 21, 2019

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, IN LIGHTING EQUIPMENT, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR <--
3 GENERAL LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS; AND, in inspection of
4 vehicles, further providing for requirement for periodic
5 inspection of vehicles.

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

8 Section 1. Section 4702 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania <--
9 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:

10 SECTION 1. SECTIONS 4303 AND 4702 OF TITLE 75 OF THE <--
11 PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED STATUTES ARE AMENDED BY ADDING
12 SUBSECTIONS TO READ:

13 § 4303. GENERAL LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS.

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15 (H) LIGHT-EMITTING DIODES.--AT LEAST 50% OF THE LIGHT-
16 EMITTING DIODES IN A LAMP OR LIGHT REFERENCED UNDER THIS
17 SECTION, EXCEPT OFF-ROAD LIGHTING, SHALL LIGHT PROPERLY.

18 § 4702. Requirement for periodic inspection of vehicles.

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1 ~~(a.1) Vehicle lights. A vehicle may not pass inspection if~~ <--
2 ~~less than 50% of the vehicle's head lamps or rear lighting with~~
3 ~~light emitting diodes, except ornamental lights, fail to light~~
4 ~~properly.~~

5 (A.1) LIGHT-EMITTING DIODES.--A VEHICLE SHALL NOT PASS A <--
6 SAFETY INSPECTION IF MORE THAN 50% OF THE LIGHT-EMITTING DIODES
7 OF A LAMP OR LIGHT REQUIRED UNDER SECTION 4303 (RELATING TO
8 GENERAL LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS) FAIL TO LIGHT PROPERLY.

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