THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1923 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY SANTORA, BENNINGHOFF, COHEN, D. COSTA, THOMAS, O'NEILL, COX, LONGIETTI, MILLARD, BAKER, MURT, SONNEY, DUSH, VEREB, KILLION, HARHART, KNOWLES, WHITE, BIZZARRO, HAHN, IRVIN, DAVIS, PICKETT, PAYNE, WHEELAND, READSHAW, NEILSON, DONATUCCI, STAATS, HICKERNELL, KOTIK, CALTAGIRONE, DIGIROLAMO, ELLIS, MARSICO, GOODMAN, GROVE, EVERETT, W. KELLER, REGAN AND MAJOR, MARCH 23, 2016

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MARCH 23, 2016

AN ACT

- Designating a portion of State Route 2005 in Drexel Hill,
 Delaware County, as the Officer Dennis McNamara Memorial
- 3 Highway.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Officer Dennis McNamara Memorial Highway.
- 7 (a) Findings. -- The General Assembly finds and declares as
- 8 follows:
- 9 (1) Officer Dennis McNamara was born July 4, 1958, and 10 graduated from West Catholic High School.
- 11 (2) Officer McNamara served in the United States Air
 12 Force from February 1981 to February 1987 where he developed
 13 a background in military intelligence and was a linguist in
- 14 several Middle Eastern languages.
- 15 (3) Officer McNamara joined the Upper Darby Police Force
- in July 1993 where he served for eight years before giving

- 1 his life in the line of duty.
- 2 (4) On January 30, 2002, Officer McNamara was
- 3 investigating a suspicious vehicle and occupant in the
- 4 Cardington Section of Upper Darby before being fatally
- 5 wounded as he exited his vehicle.
- 6 (b) Designation. -- The section of State Route 2005, known as
- 7 Lansdowne Avenue, Delaware County, from State Road to School
- 8 Lane is hereby designated the Officer Dennis McNamara Memorial
- 9 Highway.
- 10 (c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and
- 11 maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the road to
- 12 traffic in both directions on the road.
- 13 Section 2. Effective date.
- 14 This act shall take effect in 60 days.