## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE BILL

No. 259

Session of 2017

INTRODUCED BY WARD, RAFFERTY, RESCHENTHALER, BOSCOLA, VULAKOVICH, STEFANO, MENSCH, LAUGHLIN AND BROWNE, JANUARY 27, 2017

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, JANUARY 27, 2017

## AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 18 (Crimes and Offenses) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, in falsification and intimidation,
- further providing for false identification to law enforcement
- authorities and imposing an additional penalty.
- 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 6 hereby enacts as follows:
- 7 Section 1. Section 4914 of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania
- 8 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 9 § 4914. False identification to law enforcement authorities.
- 10 (a) Offense defined. -- A person commits an offense if he
- 11 furnishes law enforcement authorities with false information
- 12 about his identity, or fails to disclose employment information,
- 13 after being informed by a law enforcement officer who is in
- 14 uniform or who has identified himself as a law enforcement
- 15 officer that the person is the subject of an official
- 16 investigation of a violation of law.
- 17 (b) Grading.--An offense under this section is a misdemeanor
- 18 of the third degree.

- 1 (c) Penalty. -- In addition to any other penalty that may be
- 2 <u>imposed</u>, a person convicted under this section shall be
- 3 <u>sentenced to pay a fine of at least \$1,000.</u>
- 4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.