THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 71

Session of 2023

INTRODUCED BY TARTAGLIONE, KEARNEY, FONTANA, HUGHES, BREWSTER, KANE AND CAPPELLETTI, JANUARY 18, 2023

REFERRED TO CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, JANUARY 18, 2023

AN ACT

Amending Titles 53 (Municipalities Generally) and 66 (Public 1 Utilities) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in 2 transportation network companies, further providing for 3 transportation network company drivers; and, in transportation network service, further providing for 5 transportation network company drivers. 6 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 8 hereby enacts as follows: 9 Section 1. Section 57A12(b)(1) of Title 53 of the 10 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read: § 57A12. Transportation network company drivers. 11 12 * * * 13 Driver qualification requirements. --(b) 14 No transportation network company shall engage any 15 person as a transportation network company driver unless the 16 transportation network company ascertains that the person: 17 possesses and has possessed a valid State 18 driver's license or a valid driver's license of another state, district or territory of the United States for at 19

- least one year prior to applying to become a
- 2 transportation network company driver;
- 3 (ii) is at least 21 years of age;
- 4 (iii) has not had more than three moving violations 5 or a major violation in the immediately preceding three-6 year period; [and]
- 7 has not had a limousine or taxi driver 8 certificate suspended or revoked by the authority due to a regulatory violation within the five years immediately 9 10 preceding his application to be a transportation network 11 company driver. The authority shall make a list of all 12 the drivers available to a transportation network company upon request. The suspension or revocation of a license 13 14 by the authority because a driver was operating as a 15 transportation network company driver prior to the effective date of this section shall not constitute 16 17 grounds for disqualification under this subsection[.]; 18 and
- 19 (v) is a resident of Pennsylvania.
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- 21 Section 2. Section 2605(b) of Title 66 is amended by adding
- 22 a paragraph to read:
- 23 § 2605. Transportation network company drivers.
- 24 * * *
- 25 (b) Requirements for transportation network company
- 26 drivers. -- A transportation network company driver must:
- 27 * * *
- 28 (3.1) For purposes of providing prearranged rides
- originating within this Commonwealth, be a resident of
- 30 Pennsylvania.

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- 2 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.