

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2182 Session of 2024

INTRODUCED BY MARSHALL, JAMES, M. JONES AND NEILSON,
APRIL 3, 2024

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, APRIL 3, 2024

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, in other required equipment, further providing for
3 visual signals on authorized vehicles.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 4572(c) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended and the section is amended by
8 adding subsections to read:

9 § 4572. Visual signals on authorized vehicles.

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11 (b.2) Flashing or revolving green lights.--A highway
12 construction and maintenance vehicle may be equipped with one or
13 more flashing or revolving green lights. The manner in which the
14 lights are displayed and their intensity shall be determined by
15 regulation of the department.

16 (c) Vehicles prohibited from using lights.--No vehicle other
17 than a duly authorized vehicle may be equipped with lights
18 identical or similar to those specified in [subsections (a) and

1 (b)] this section. A person who equips or uses a vehicle with
2 visual systems in violation of this section commits a summary
3 offense and shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine
4 of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500.

5 (d) Definition.--As used in this section, the term "highway
6 construction and maintenance vehicle" means a motor vehicle
7 owned by a municipality or the department and used by the
8 municipality or the department for the maintenance, construction
9 or repair of a highway or bridge. The term includes, but is not
10 limited to, a vehicle used for snow removal, traffic-line-
11 painting truck, sign and signal maintenance truck, dump truck,
12 street sweeper, mower, highway inspection vehicle, vehicle used
13 for traffic control and vehicle involved in traffic studies or
14 investigations or right-of-way operations.

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