THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 120

Session of 2023

INTRODUCED BY PHILLIPS-HILL, SCHWANK, SANTARSIERO, DUSH AND COSTA, JANUARY 18, 2023

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, JANUARY 18, 2023

AN ACT

- Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated

 Statutes, in rules of the road in general, further providing
- 3 for special speed limitations.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 3365(b) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 3365. Special speed limitations.
- 9 * * *
- 10 (b) School zones.--
- 11 $\underline{\text{(1)}}$ When passing through a school zone as defined and
- 12 established under regulations of the department, no person
- shall drive a vehicle at a speed greater than 15 miles per
- 14 hour. An official traffic-control device shall indicate the
- 15 beginning and end of each school zone to traffic approaching
- in each direction. Establishment of a school zone, including
- its location and hours of operation, shall be approved by the
- 18 department.

- 1 (2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a speed
- 2 <u>limitation in a school zone during regular school hours may</u>
- 3 <u>be established and enforced regardless of whether students</u>
- 4 are permitted to walk to and from any school that is within
- 5 <u>the school zone.</u>
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- 7 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.