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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY OWLETT, KRUPA, STAATS, SMITH, PICKETT, VENKAT,  
JAMES AND KAUFFMAN, FEBRUARY 5, 2025

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AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated  
2 Statutes, in licensing of drivers, further providing for  
3 issuance and content of driver's license.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1510 of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:  
8 § 1510. Issuance and content of driver's license.

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10 (a.2) Autism spectrum disorder designation.--

11 (1) An individual who is diagnosed with an autism  
12 spectrum disorder may request to have a notation of the  
13 diagnosis placed on the individual's driver's license or  
14 identification card under subsection (b). The individual must  
15 present the department with a sworn statement from a  
16 qualified medical professional licensed in this Commonwealth  
17 verifying the diagnosis. By submitting the request, the  
18 individual consents for the department to make public the

1 diagnosis on the individual's driver's license or  
2 identification card.

3 (2) A parent or guardian of an individual under 18 years  
4 of age or under guardianship may request the notation  
5 provided under this subsection to be placed on the  
6 individual's driver's license or identification card. The  
7 parent or guardian must comply with all of the requirements  
8 under paragraph (1).

9 (3) The department shall promulgate regulations  
10 necessary to administer this subsection.

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