No. 324

AN ACT

SB 886

Amending the act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), entitled "An act consolidating and revising the Vehicle Code, the Tractor Code, the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act and other acts relating to the ownership, possession and use of vehicles and tractors," providing for the transfer of certificate of title and further providing for transfer of registration from a decedent to a surviving spouse.

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

Section 1. The act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended by adding, after section 207, a new section to read:

Section 207.1. Transfer of Certificate of Title to Surviving Spouse Upon the Death of an Owner of a Motor Vehicle, Tractor Trailer or Semi-trailer.—Transfer of certificate of title to a surviving spouse, or any person designated by said spouse, may be made without the necessity of letters notwithstanding the fact that there are minor children surviving the decedent: Provided, That the surviving spouse files an affidavit that all the debts of the decedent have been paid.

Section 2. Section 507.2 of the act, added August 8, 1963 (P. L. 622), is amended to read:

Section 507.2. Transfer of Registration to Surviving Spouse upon the Death of an Owner of a Motor Vehicle, Tractor Trailer or Semitrailer.—Transfer of registration to a surviving spouse, or any person designated by said spouse, may be made without the necessity of letters notwithstanding the fact that there are minor children surviving the decedent: Provided, That the surviving spouse files an affidavit that all the debts of the decedent have been paid. [and the family allowance exceeds the value of the vehicle.]

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 9th day of November, A. D. 1965.

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