No. 627

AN ACT

Authorizing the marking of highways and intersections in the State highway system and conferring powers on the Department of Highways.

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

Department of Highways empowered to apply and maintain luminous stripe on State highways. Section 1. The Department of Highways may apply, and thereafter maintain and repaint, along the edges of all three and four lane State highways without curbs, and on the curbs at all intersections on highways in the State highway system, a luminous stripe which shall have sufficient reflection and brilliance so as to effectively warn vehicular traffic from crossing the edge of the highway or intersection and entering on the shoulder or berm.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 8th day of December, A. D. 1959.

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No. 628

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 24, 1939 (P. L. 872), entitled "An act to consolidate, amend and revise the penal laws of the Commonwealth," prescribing penalties for using obscene or offensive language over telephones or repeatedly by telephone annoying, molesting or harassing another.

The Penal Code.

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

Act of June 24, 1939, P. L. 872, amended by adding a new section 414.1. Section 1. The act of June 24, 1939 (P. L. 872), known as "The Penal Code," is amended by adding, after section 414, a new section to read:

Section 414.1. Malicious Use of Telephones.—Whoever telephones another person and addresses to or about such other person any lewil, lascivious or indecent words or language, or whoever anonymously telephones another person repeatedly for the purpose of annoying, molesting or harassing such other person or his or her family, shall be deemed guilty of the misdemeanor of being a disorderly person, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500), to which may be added imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months: Provided, That any offense committed by the use of a telephone, as herein set out,