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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 171 Session of  
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INTRODUCED BY TARTAGLIONE, HAYWOOD, FONTANA, HUGHES, SCHWANK,  
COSTA AND DILLON, JANUARY 30, 2023

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REFERRED TO CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE,  
JANUARY 30, 2023

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 17, 2008 (P.L.1645, No.132),  
2 entitled "An act providing for the regulation of home  
3 improvement contracts and for the registration of certain  
4 contractors; prohibiting certain acts; and providing for  
5 penalties," further providing for procedures for registration  
6 as a contractor.

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

9 Section 1. Section 4(a)(1) of the act of October 17, 2008  
10 (P.L.1645, No.132), known as the Home Improvement Consumer  
11 Protection Act, is amended by adding a subparagraph to read:

12 Section 4. Procedures for registration as a contractor.

13 (a) Application.--

14 (1) A person shall apply to the bureau in writing or  
15 electronically via a secure Internet connection, if permitted  
16 by the bureau, on a form provided by the bureau. The  
17 application shall include the following information:

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19 (x) Proof of workers' compensation coverage in

1 compliance with the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736,  
2 No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act.

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