## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE BILL

No. 398

Session of 2023

INTRODUCED BY COSTA, SCHWANK, FLYNN, BROOKS, SANTARSIERO, BOSCOLA, FONTANA, HUTCHINSON, HAYWOOD, COLLETT, BARTOLOTTA, TARTAGLIONE, DILLON, BREWSTER, ROBINSON, J. WARD AND BAKER, FEBRUARY 21, 2023

REFERRED TO FINANCE, FEBRUARY 21, 2023

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## AN ACT

Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated 1 Statutes, in fees, further providing for exemption of 2 persons, entities and vehicles from fees. 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: Section 1. Section 1901(c) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania 6 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a paragraph to read: 7 8 § 1901. Exemption of persons, entities and vehicles from fees. 9 (c) Processing fee in lieu of registration fee. -- No 10 registration fee shall be charged for vehicles registered by any 11 12 of the following but the department shall charge a fee of \$10 to 13 cover the costs of processing for issuing or renewing the 14 registration: 15 (24) A person who is receiving disability benefits as a 16

veteran based on injuries or other disability received or

- 1 <u>contracted while performing duty in active service of the</u>
- 2 <u>armed forces of the United States or the Commonwealth whose</u>
- 3 total annual income does not exceed \$19,200. Unless the
- 4 <u>veteran specified under this paragraph is physically or</u>
- 5 mentally incapable of driving the vehicle, the veteran shall
- 6 <u>be the principal driver of the vehicle but may from time to</u>
- 7 time authorize another person to drive the vehicle in his or
- 8 her stead.
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- 10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.