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MEMORANDUM

TO: All Members of the House of Representatives

FROM: Representative Guy A. Travaglio *GAT*

DATE: May 3, 2000

RE: Cosponsorship of proposed legislation that would eliminate the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation's identification card fee for organ donors.

I am planning to introduce legislation that would amend Section 1951 of the Vehicle Code (Title 75) by inserting language that would permit organ donors to obtain a Department of Transportation identification card without paying the required fee.

The current law states that a fee for an identification card issued by the Department of Transportation shall be \$5.00 plus the cost of the photograph. Under my proposed legislation, this fee and the cost of the photograph would be waived for organ donors. The purpose of this legislation is to encourage individuals who obtain identification cards to become organ donors.

If you have any questions about my proposed legislation or wish to become a co-sponsor, please contact my office at 7-7686 or jgarofalo@pahouse.net.

Thank you for your consideration.