

No. 1992-170

AN ACT

SB 1525

Amending the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), entitled "An act providing for a Statewide emergency telephone number 911 system; providing for contributions from telephone subscribers; providing a penalty; and making a repeal," further providing for the definition of "telephone subscriber"; and adding the definition of "person."

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

Section 1. The definition of "telephone subscriber" in section 2 of the act of July 9, 1990 (P.L.340, No.78), known as the Public Safety Emergency Telephone Act, is amended and the section is amended by adding a definition to read:

Section 2. Definitions.

The following words and phrases when used in this act shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

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"Person." *The term includes a corporation, a partnership, an association, the Federal Government, the State government, a political subdivision, a municipal or other local authority, as well as a natural person.*

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"Telephone subscriber." A person who contracts with a telephone company within this Commonwealth for local exchange telephone service, either residential or commercial. When the same person[, **business or organization**] has several telephone dial tone access lines, each dial tone access line shall constitute a separate subscription. For purposes of the contribution rate, the term shall not include pay stations owned or operated by a regulated public utility.

Section 2. This act shall be retroactive to September 7, 1990.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 18th day of December, A. D. 1992.

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