
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1070 Session of
2009

INTRODUCED BY MELLOW, MUSTO, BAKER, LOGAN, RAFFERTY, STACK,
HUGHES, FERLO, KITCHEN, WASHINGTON, M. WHITE, BOSCOLA,
GREENLEAF, WARD, O'PAKE, TARTAGLIONE, ARGALL, WAUGH, FONTANA,
DINNIMAN, STOUT, BRUBAKER, ORIE AND PILEGGI, AUGUST 7, 2009

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, AUGUST 7, 2009

AN ACT

Designating Route 611, from Main Street in the Village of
Tobyhanna to Interstate 380 in Coolbaugh Township, Monroe
County, as the Trooper Joshua D. Miller Memorial Highway.

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

Section 1. Trooper Joshua D. Miller Memorial Highway.

(a) Findings.--The General Assembly finds and declares as
follows:

(1) Trooper Joshua D. Miller was killed in the line of
duty on June 7, 2009, while attempting to apprehend a

kidnapping suspect. While engaged in a gun battle with the suspect, another State trooper and a local police officer were able to rescue the nine-year-old child who was being abducted.

(2) Trooper Miller, age 34, was a six-year veteran of the Pennsylvania State Police and had received several commendations for his work protecting the citizens of this

Commonwealth. A resident of Pittston Township, Pennsylvania, he is survived by his wife and three children.

(b) Designation.--Route 611, from Main Street in the Village of Tobyhanna to Interstate 380 in Coolbaugh Township, Monroe County, is hereby designated as the Trooper Joshua D. Miller Memorial Highway.

(c) Signs.--The Department of Transportation shall erect and maintain appropriate signs displaying the name of the highway to traffic in both directions.

Section 2. Effective date.

This act shall take effect in 60 days.