

PRIOR TO THE OBTAINMENT OF APPRAISALS AND PROPERTY SURVEYS, THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL:

(1) NOTIFY THE LOCAL GOVERNING BODY OF ANY COUNTY AND ANY MUNICIPALITY WITHIN WHICH THE PROPERTY IS LOCATED OF THE INTENT TO ACQUIRE THE PROPERTY AND THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH IT IS TO BE ACQUIRED; AND

(2) PROVIDE SUCH LOCAL GOVERNING BODIES AT LEAST 30 DAYS IN WHICH TO SUBMIT COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSED ACQUISITION.

ACQUISITIONS FOR TRAFFIC SIGNALS, SAFETY AND RESURFACING AND SPOT IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS ARE EXEMPT FROM THESE REQUIREMENTS.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1978.

Approved May 2, 1978.

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CHAPTER 293

(Senate Bill 1171)

AN ACT concerning

State Highways - Needs Inventory and  
Construction Planning Procedures

FOR the purpose of requiring the State Highway Administration to submit certain highway needs inventories to local governing bodies and certain members of the General Assembly; providing a procedure by which items may be added to or deleted from the needs inventories; providing for certain phases in the planning and construction of primary and secondary highways; requiring the State Highway Administration to identify items for construction; requiring the approval of certain project planning and construction by local governing bodies and certain members of the General Assembly; providing for changes in the planning or construction of highways upon the actions of local governing bodies or certain members of the General Assembly; requiring the State Highway Administration to submit annually certain reports to the General Assembly and local governing bodies; requiring the State Highway Administration to follow certain budgetary procedures; requiring the Department of Transportation to develop certain standards and procedures; and generally relating to the highway needs inventories and construction program.

BY repealing