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House Bill 5673 (as passed by the House)

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House Committee: Transportation and Infrastructure

Senate Committee: Transportation

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CONTENT

The bill would amend the Michigan Memorial Highway Act to designate the portion of highway US-23 in Alpena County beginning at the intersection with Hamilton Road and extending north to the border between Alpena and Presque Isle Counties as the "Trooper Larry Forreider Memorial Highway".

The bill would take effect 90 days after it was enacted.

Proposed MCL 250.1004b

BACKGROUND

Trooper Larry Forreider was killed on December 5, 1974, after being shot near Alpena, Michigan. According to the Michigan State Police, Trooper Forreider and his partner had stopped a vehicle for defective tail lights. When his partner noticed a weapon in the vehicle, the passengers were ordered to step outside. At this point, the driver fired at Trooper Forreider.

In 1975, the State Police Medal of Valor was bestowed posthumously in tribute to Trooper Forreider. He was the 30th Michigan State Police officer to die in the line of duty.

Legislative Analyst: Drew Krogulecki

FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government

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