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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 28-1600, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO APPEALS OF  
TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 28-1600, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 28-1600. Appeal

5 A. A party may appeal the judgment of the court. The appeal may be  
6 to the superior court in the same manner as provided by rules adopted by  
7 the supreme court. IF THE APPEAL IS GRANTED, THE COURT SHALL REPORT THE  
8 STAY OF ENFORCEMENT OF THE JUDGMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT. ON RECEIPT OF THE  
9 REPORT, THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT PURSUE ANY ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION RELATED TO  
10 THE JUDGMENT ISSUED BY THE COURT UNTIL THE STAY IS LIFTED OR THE JUDGMENT  
11 IS AFFIRMED BY AN APPELLATE COURT.

12 B. The posting of an appeal bond stays enforcement of the judgment.

13 C. Commissioners of the superior court may hear and determine  
14 appeals.