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Primary Sponsor: Rep. Richardson

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DETAILED ANALYSIS

The bill designates the following highway and authorizes the Director of Transportation to erect suitable markers along the highway indicating its name:

Designated Name	"Deputy Sheriff Bill Bender and Trooper Randy Bender Memorial Highway" ¹
Highway	The eastbound and westbound lanes of State Route 309, between Marion-Williamsport Road West and Holland Road, in Marion County.
Other Information	Deputy Sheriff Bill Bender was killed on July 2, 1973, in an automobile accident while he was en route to set up a roadblock (because of an escape from a nearby jail). His son, Trooper Randy Bender, was also killed in the line of duty. Trooper Bender died on November 20, 1982, after succumbing to the injuries he sustained from being struck by a tractor trailer while he was directing traffic in a construction zone.

* This analysis was prepared before the report of the House Transportation and Public Safety Committee appeared in the House Journal. Note that the legislative history is incomplete.

¹ R.C. 5534.418.

HISTORY

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