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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James Arciero

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying:

An Act relative to junior operator's licenses .

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
James Arciero	*2nd Middlesex*
James Antonelli	*30 Patten Road* *Westford, MA 01886*

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By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3244) of James Arciero and James Antonelli relative to junior operator's licenses. Transportation.

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An Act relative to junior operator's licenses .

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1 Chapter 90 of the general laws is hereby amended by adding the following new section, Section 8AA.

SECTION 8AA Junior Operator's License Violations

Any holder of a junior operator license convicted of the offense of the possession of alcohol, marijuana or of any other controlled substance deemed illegal by the commonwealth shall:

-forfeit his junior operator's license

-be required to attend a substance abuse program for not less than three months

-pay a fine of not less than $1,000 to the general fund of the commonwealth.

Such an individual shall not be eligible for another license to operate a motor vehicle from the commonwealth until the latter two requirements are fulfilled.

The registrar shall issue rules and regulations to carry out the above provisions.