

SENATE No. 1731

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cynthia S. Creem

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act regarding the penalties for drag racing..

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Cynthia S. Creem

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By Ms. Creem, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1731) of Cynthia S. Creem for legislation relative to the penalties for drag racing. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 1905 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven
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An Act regarding the penalties for drag racing..

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

1 SECTION 1. The second paragraph of section 17B of chapter 90 of the
2 General Laws, as added by section 8 of chapter 428 of the acts of 2006, is hereby amended by
3 striking out the first two sentences and inserting in place thereof the following two sentences:-
4 Notwithstanding the penalties provided in the first paragraph, a holder of a junior operator's
5 license or learner's permit who commits a violation of this section shall be punished for a first
6 offense by imprisonment in the house of correction for not more than 2 1/2 years or by a fine of
7 not less than \$250 and not more than \$1,000 and the registrar shall suspend the junior operator's
8 license or learner's permit for 1 year. A subsequent violation shall be punished by imprisonment
9 in the house of correction for not more than 2 1/2 years or by a fine of not less than \$500 and not
10 more than \$1,000 and the registrar shall suspend the junior operator's license or learner's permit
11 for 3 years.