

HOUSE No. 1316

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael J. Finn and James T. Welch

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 relative to manslaughter while operating a motor vehicle.

PETITION OF:

| NAME: | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
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| <i>Michael J. Finn</i> | <i>6th Hampden</i> | |
| <i>James T. Welch</i> | <i>Hampden</i> | <i>1/17/2013</i> |

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By Representative Finn of West Springfield and Senator Welch, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1316) of Michael J. Finn and James T. Welch for legislation to increase the minimum sentence for conviction of manslaughter while operating a motor vehicle. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen
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An Act relative to manslaughter while operating a motor vehicle.

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. Section 13 1/2 of chapter 265 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the number "5", in lines 4 and 6 and 9, and
- 3 inserting in place thereof the number "10".