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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand Ten**  
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An Act PROVIDING FOR AN AUTOMATED TOLL COLLECTION REVIEW..

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

1           The Massachusetts Department of Transportation shall to conduct a study of the benefits  
2 and challenges of a fully-automated toll collection system to serve Massachusetts toll roads.

3           The said review by the department shall present fully-automated toll collection system  
4 alternatives, including open-road tolling; examine ways in which these alternatives impact  
5 operating costs, motorist wait-time and vehicle congestion and idling at Massachusetts toll road  
6 collection sites; provide recommendations for the implementation of a fully-automated toll  
7 collection system; and propose guidelines for enforcement.

8           The department shall present its findings and recommendations for a fully-automated toll  
9 collection system to the Joint Committee on Transportation within three months from the  
10 adoption of this legislation.