

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3090**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Stephen Kulik*

*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 to enhance agricultural operations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Stephen Kulik</i>	<i>1st Franklin</i>	<i>1/17/2013</i>
<i>Sarah K. Peake</i>	<i>4th Barnstable</i>	
<i>Denise Andrews</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>	<i>1/29/2013</i>
<i>Nicholas A. Boldyga</i>	<i>3rd Hampden</i>	<i>1/30/2013</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	<i>1/25/2013</i>
<i>Michael R. Knapik</i>	<i>Second Hampden and Hampshire</i>	<i>1/31/2013</i>
<i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i>	<i>8th Bristol</i>	<i>1/28/2013</i>
<i>John W. Scibak</i>	<i>2nd Hampshire</i>	<i>1/24/2013</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/1/2013</i>
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>	

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By Mr. Kulik of Worthington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3090) of Stephen Kulik and others relative to the operation of unregistered or improperly equipped motor vehicles or trailers for agricultural purposes. Transportation.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**

An Act to enhance agricultural operations.

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

1           § 9. Operation of Unregistered or Improperly Equipped Motor Vehicles or Trailers;  
2 Certain Mistakes in Application Not to Affect Registration.

3           No person shall operate, push, draw or tow any motor vehicle or trailer, and the owner  
4 or custodian of such a vehicle shall not permit the same to be operated, pushed, drawn or towed  
5 upon or to remain upon any way except as authorized by section three, unless such vehicle is  
6 registered in accordance with this chapter .... A tractor, trailer, truck (or all terrain vehicle may be  
7 operated without such registration upon any way for a distance not exceeding one-half mile, if  
8 said all-terrain vehicle, tractor, trailer or truck is used exclusively for agricultural purposes, or  
9 between one-half mile and 10 miles if said all-terrain vehicle, tractor, trailer or truck is used  
10 exclusively for agricultural purposes and the owner thereof maintains in full force a policy of  
11 liability insurance which conforms to the provisions of section one hundred and thirteen A of  
12 chapter one hundred and seventy-five ...

13           All-terrain vehicles operating under the provisions of this chapter shall be equipped with  
14 a safety flag of not less than 36 square inches in area which shall be elevated to no less than 6  
15 feet from the ground.