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HOUSE . . . . . No. 1662

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Timothy R. Whelan

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 amend Chapter 90B, section 8 by adding the following provision.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Timothy R. Whelan	*1st Barnstable*

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By Mr. Whelan of Brewster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1662) of Timothy R. Whelan for legislation to add prior convictions of operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol or drugs to the offender's boating record. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. *1659* OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)

An Act to amend Chapter 90B, section 8 by adding the following provision.

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

Section 8 of Chapter 90B of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following provision:

Notwithstanding any law or special law to the contrary, for the purposes of determining sentencing and other requirements for multiple convictions of operating a vessel while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, any prior conviction of operating a motor vehicle within the commonwealth while under the influence of alcohol or drugs shall be deemed to be an additional offense under this chapter.