

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2972**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*Josh S. Cutler*

*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 provide young drivers with more practical driving experience.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                 | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:   | DATE ADDED:      |
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| <i>Josh S. Cutler</i> | <i>6th Plymouth</i> | <i>1/14/2015</i> |

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By Mr. Cutler of Duxbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2972) of Josh S. Cutler relative to learner’s permits and junior operator’s licensing. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3755 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act to provide young drivers with more practical driving experience.

*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 8B of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking, in line 1 the words “sixteen years” and inserting  
3 in place thereof the following words:- “fifteen years and six months”.

4 SECTION 2. Section 8 of said Chapter is hereby amended by striking out, in line 32, the  
5 words “six months” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- “one year”.

6 SECTION 3. Section 8 of said Chapter is hereby amended by striking out, in line 52, the  
7 number “40” and inserting in place thereof the following number:- “80”.

8 SECTION 4. Section 8 of said Chapter is hereby amended by striking out, in line 63, the  
9 number “12” and inserting in place thereof the following number:- “24”.