

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2070**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Sal N. DiDomenico***

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*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 student driver safety.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Sal N. DiDomenico*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Middlesex and Suffolk*

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By Mr. DiDomenico, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2070) of Sal N. DiDomenico for legislation relative to student driver safety. Transportation.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to student driver safety.

*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 2016  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-

3           The registrar shall provide the holder of a learner’s permit or Junior Operator driver’s  
4 license with two copies of a highly visible, reflective decal, magnet or other appropriate symbol  
5 as determined by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles indicating that the driver of the vehicle may be  
6 the holder of a learner’s permit or Junior Operator driver’s license. The registrar shall charge a  
7 fee for the decal, magnet or other appropriate indicator. The symbol shall be displayed in a  
8 manner prescribed by the registrar, and shall be clearly visible to law enforcement officers. The  
9 holder of a learner’s permit or Junior Operator restricted driver’s license shall not operate a  
10 vehicle unless the indicator is so displayed. Any individual found operating a motor vehicle in  
11 violation of this paragraph shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50. The registrar is  
12 hereby authorized to promulgate regulations to assure the timely and effective implementation of  
13 this paragraph.