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HOUSE . . . . . No. 1197

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Steven S. Howitt

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 insurance point surcharges.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Steven S. Howitt	*4th Bristol*	*1/14/2025*

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By Representative Howitt of Seekonk, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1197) of Steven S. Howitt relative to exempting certain motor vehicle accidents from insurance point surcharges. Financial Services.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. *1044* OF 2023-2024.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)

An Act relative to insurance point surcharges.

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

SECTION 1. Section 113B of Chapter 175 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, at the end thereof the following sentence:- "In fixing and establishing classifications of risk, the commissioner of insurance shall not promulgate any rules or regulations to add surcharge points to a motor vehicle insurance premium, based on at-fault accidents or convictions of moving violations of motor vehicle laws, for damages not exceeding $2,500."

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.