

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1699**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul K. Frost***

*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 throwing objects at motor vehicles.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	<i>1/15/2025</i>
<i>Kelly W. Pease</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>	<i>4/15/2025</i>

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By Representative Frost of Auburn, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1699) of Paul K. Frost relative to the penalties for throwing or shooting objects at motor vehicles. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1500 OF 2023-2024.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)**  
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An Act relative to throwing objects at motor vehicles.

*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 104 of chapter 159 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the  
3 following sentence:-

4 Whoever willfully throws or shoots an object at a motor vehicle, locomotive engine, or  
5 railroad or railway car or train or at a motor bus or trackless trolley vehicle, or at a school bus, or  
6 in any way assaults or interferes with a driver, conductor, engineer, brakeman, motorman or  
7 operator while in the performance of his duty on or near such engine, car, train, motor bus or  
8 trackless trolley vehicle, or school bus, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by  
9 imprisonment for not more than 5 years, or both.