

HOUSE No.

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 limiting motor vehicle dealer documentation fees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>	<i>1/10/2025</i>

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3348 OF 2023-2024.]

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

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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. Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition,
2 is hereby amended by inserting after Section 62 the following section:-

3 Section 63 (A). A motor vehicle dealer licensed by the Registry of Motor Vehicles may
4 impose a fee of no more than four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for the preparation of various
5 paperwork associated with the sale, financing, leasing, insurance, liens, warranties, federal and
6 state disclosures and other procedures associated with the sale, leasing and financing of vehicles
7 obtained or provided by the dealership on vehicle transactions in excess of two thousand five
8 hundred dollars (\$2500.00). Any motor vehicle dealer who charges a documentary preparation
9 fee in connection with the sale of a motor vehicle for less than two thousand five hundred dollars
10 (\$2500.00) shall be subject to the imposition of a fine and/or the suspension or revocation of
11 their license, determined by the Registry of Motor Vehicles.