

# SENATE . . . . . No. 1667

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*William J. Driscoll, Jr.*

*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 motor vehicle battery storage.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*William J. Driscoll, Jr.*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Norfolk, Plymouth and Bristol*

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By Mr. Driscoll, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1667) of William J. Driscoll, Jr. for legislation relative to motor vehicle battery storage notices. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court  
(2025-2026)  
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An Act relative to motor vehicle battery storage.

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

1           Chapter 140 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 59A the  
2 following section:-

3           Section 59B. All holders of a Class 1, Class 2 or Class 3 license pursuant to section 58,  
4 all owners or operators of a motor vehicle repair shop registered pursuant to chapter 100A, all  
5 owners or operators of a junkyard or automobile graveyard as those terms are defined in section  
6 1 of chapter 140B or any person or entity who sells or stores motor vehicle batteries shall  
7 prominently display notice to the public and first responders of the presence of motor vehicle  
8 batteries on the premises. Violation of this section shall be subject to a civil penalty of \$250.