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HOUSE . . . . . No. 3069

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Cory Atkins

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 cell phone use in motor vehicles.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Cory Atkins	*14th Middlesex*
Stephen L. DiNatale	*3rd Worcester*
Lori A. Ehrlich	*8th Essex*
Cleon H. Turner	*1st Barnstable*
William N. Brownsberger	
Carolyn C. Dykema	*8th Middlesex*
Sean Garballey	*23rd Middlesex*
Denise Provost	*27th Middlesex*
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	*12th Hampden*
John W. Scibak	*2nd Hampshire*
Benjamin Swan	*11th Hampden*
Mark C. Montigny	

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By Ms. Atkins of Concord, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3069) of Cory Atkins and others for legislation to prohibit the use of hand-held cell phones by persons operating motor vehicles. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. *3152* OF 2009-2010.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to cell phone use in 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:

SECTION 1. Section 16 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:—

No person shall operate a motor vehicle while using a cell phone, unless the cell phone is hands free, so called.