The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-Four.

AN ACT REPEALING THE COMPULSORY MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE LAW.

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. Chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 1A and sections 34A to 34J, inclusive.

Section 2. Chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out sections 113A to 113H, inclusive.

Section 3. Section 182 of said chapter 175, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 11 to 13, the words "or any motor vehicle liability bond or any motor vehicle liability policy, both as defined in section thirty-four A of chapter ninety," — so as to read as follows: — Section 182. No company, no officer or agent thereof and no insurance broker shall pay or allow, or offer to pay or allow, in connection with placing or negotiating any policy of insurance or any annuity or pure endowment contract or the continuance or renewal thereof, any valuable consideration or inducement not specified in the policy or contract, or any special favor or advantage in the dividends or other benefits to accrue thereon; or shall give, sell or
purchase, or offer to give, sell or purchase, anything
of value whatsoever not specified in the policy; or
shall give, sell, negotiate, deliver, issue, or authorize
to issue or offer to give, sell, negotiate, deliver, issue,
or authorize to issue any policy of workmen's com-
pen-sation insurance at a rate different from that
fixed, established or approved by the commissioner.
No such company, officer, agent or broker shall at
any time pay or allow, or offer to pay or allow, any
rebate of any premium paid or payable on any policy
of insurance or any annuity or pure endowment con-
tract.

1 Section 4. Section 183 of said chapter 175, as so
appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines
7 and 8, the words “, or any motor vehicle liability
bond or any motor vehicle liability policy, both as
defined in section thirty-four A of chapter ninety,”,
—so as to read as follows: — Section 183. No per-
son shall receive or accept from any company or
officer or agent thereof, or any insurance broker, or
any other person, any such rebate of premium paid
or payable on the policy or contract, or any special
favor or advantage in the dividends or other benefits
to accrue thereon, or any valuable consideration or
inducement not specified in the policy or contract or
any policy of workmen's compensation insurance at
a rate different from that fixed, established or ap-
proved by the commissioner. No person shall be ex-
cused from testifying, or from producing any books,
papers, contracts, agreements or documents at the
trial of any other person charged with violating any
 provision of this and the preceding section, on the
ground that such testimony or evidence may tend to
incriminate himself; but no person shall be prosecuted
for any act concerning which he shall be compelled
so to testify or produce evidence, documentary or
otherwise, except for perjury committed in so testi-
fig.
1 Section 5. Any provisions of general law inconsistent with this act and requiring a motor vehicle liability bond or a motor vehicle liability policy as a condition precedent to the registration of a motor vehicle or trailer are hereby repealed.

1 Section 6. This act shall take effect on January first, nineteen hundred and fifty-five.