

[Similar Matter Filed During Past Session —
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SENATE No. 794

By Mr. Timilty, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 194) of Joseph F. Timilty for legislation to provide that classifications of risks and premium charges under the compulsory motor vehicle liability insurance law be uniform throughout the Commonwealth. Insurance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five.

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT CLASSIFICATIONS OF RISKS AND PREMIUM CHARGES UNDER THE COMPULSORY MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE LAW BE UNIFORM THROUGHOUT THE COMMONWEALTH.

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 113B of chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby
- 2 amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in
- 3 place thereof the following sentences: —
- 4 The commissioner shall, annually on or before September
- 5 fifteenth, after due hearing and investigation, fix and establish
- 6 fair and reasonable classifications of risks, including classifica-
- 7 tions of risks based on accident involvement and adequate, just,
- 8 reasonable and non-discriminatory premium charges to be
- 9 used and charged by companies in connection with the issue
- 10 or execution of motor vehicle liability policies or bonds both
- 11 as defined in section thirty-four A of chapter ninety, for the
- 12 ensuing calendar year or any part thereof. But said classifica-
- 13 tions and premium charges shall be uniform throughout the
- 14 commonwealth and shall not be fixed or established according
- 15 to districts or zones.

