

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2711

By Mr. Mofenson of Newton, petition of David J. Mofenson, Lois G. Pines, Jack H. Backman and Chester G. Atkins relative to the maintenance of safety belts in motor vehicles. Public Safety.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE MAINTENANCE OF SAFETY BELTS 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:*

1 Chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting  
2 after section 7Q the following section: —

3 *Section 7R.* The owner of any motor vehicle which is required  
4 to be equipped with safety belts shall maintain such belts in  
5 operational condition. Any person who violates the provisions of  
6 this section shall be punished by a fine not to exceed fifty dollars,  
7 provided however, the failure to maintain any safety belt warning  
8 system shall not be a violation of this section.

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