

Mr. Donnelly of Boston, petition of Gordon Scully relative to the penalty for theft or concealment of a motor vehicle. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PENALTY FOR THEFT OR CONCEALMENT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE.

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 28 of chapter 266 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by striking out the first sentence, as most recently
3 amended by chapter 78 of the acts of 1972, and inserting in place
4 thereof the following sentence: —

5 Whoever steals a motor vehicle or trailer, or receives or buys a
6 motor vehicle or trailer knowing the same to have been stolen, or
7 conceals any motor vehicle or trailer thief knowing him to be
8 such, or conceals any motor vehicle or trailer knowing the same
9 to have been stolen, or takes a motor vehicle or trailer without the
10 authority of the owner and steals from it any of its parts or
11 accessories, or without the authority of the owner operates a
12 motor vehicle after notice of the suspension or revocation of his
13 license or right to operate has been issued by the registrar in
14 accordance with section twenty-two of chapter ninety and prior
15 to the restoration of such license or right to operate or to the
16 issuance to him of a new license to operate, shall be punished by
17 imprisonment in the state prison for not more than ten years or
18 by a fine of not more than five thousand dollars, or both.

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