

HOUSE No. 1176

By Mr. Jordan of Springfield, petition of Raymond A. Jordan, Jr., for legislation to regulate the payment of proceeds by insurance companies on motor vehicle death claims. Insurance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-Two.

AN ACT REGULATING THE PAYMENT OF PROCEEDS BY INSURANCE COMPANIES ON MOTOR VEHICLE DEATH CLAIMS.

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 1. Chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by inserting after section 113Q the following new sec-
3 tion: —

4 *Section 113R.* Any person entitled to benefits as a result of a
5 death claim shall be entitled to the actual limits of the applicable
6 bodily injury liability coverages including uninsured and underin-
7 sured motorists coverage so-called of the applicable motor vehicle
8 insurance policies, without regard to age and life expectancy of the
9 injured party.

1 SECTION 2. Any company determined by the commissioner
2 of insurance and the attorney general to be in violation of section
3 113R shall be in violation of chapter 93A and subject to all
4 penalties imposed therein.

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