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SENATE No. 282

By Mr. McKenna, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 282) of Denis L. McKenna for legislation to provide for certain penalties for persons who wittingly damage, cut or otherwise destroy fencing or safety barriers along train tracks. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN PENALTIES FOR PERSONS WHO WITTINGLY DAMAGE, CUT OR OTHERWISE DESTROY FENCING OR SAFETY BARRIERS ALONG TRAIN TRACKS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Notwithstanding the provisions of any other general or
- 2 special law to the contrary, whoever damages, cuts or other-
- 3 wise destroys a safety fence implaced to protect children along
- 4 the train tracks shall upon conviction pay a fine of \$2,000
- 5 and/or up to 15 days in jail.

