

By Mr. Kirby, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 157) of Edward P. Kirby, Peter Forman, Robert Kraus, Richard Shire and Larry F. Giordano for legislation to increase the penalties for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of intoxicating liquids and causing more than one death. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety.

AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUIDS AND CAUSING MORE THAN ONE DEATH.

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 24G of Chapter 90 of the General Laws, as most recently
2 amended by Chapter 373 of the Acts of 1982, is hereby further
3 amended in the first paragraph, by striking out the second
4 sentence thereof, and by substituting therefor the following
5 sentence: — A person convicted under this section of having
6 caused the death of more than one individual shall be awarded
7 consecutive sentences for each such conviction. The sentence
8 imposed upon such person shall not be reduced to less than one
9 year for each conviction, nor suspended, nor shall any person
10 convicted under this subsection be eligible for probation, parole,
11 or furlough or receive any deduction from his sentences; provided,
12 however, that the commissioner of correction may, on the
13 recommendation of the warden, superintendent or other person
14 in charge of a correctional institution, or the administrator of a
15 county correctional institution, grant to an offender committed
16 under this subsection a temporary release in the custody of any
17 officer of such institution for the following purposes only: to
18 attend the funeral of a relative; to obtain emergency medical or
19 psychiatric services unavailable at said institution; or to engage
20 in employment to a work release program. Prosecutions
21 commenced under this subsection shall neither be continued
22 without a finding nor placed on file.

THE STATE OF NEW YORK
IN SENATE
January 15, 1914.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE

IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE

AND A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE ASSEMBLY
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