

SENATE . . . . . No. 721

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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SENATE, April 11, 1962.

The committee on Bills in the Third Reading to which was referred the Senate Bill further defining "narcotic drugs" as used in the law imposing a penalty for the operation of a motor vehicle while under the influence of narcotic drugs (Senate, No. 294, amended) reports recommending that the same be amended by substituting therefor a new draft entitled "An Act imposing a penalty for the operation of a motor vehicle while under the influence of barbiturates, amphetamines, or other hypnotic or somnifacient drugs" (Senate, No. 721) and that, when so amended, the same will be correctly drawn.

For the committee,

F. X. McCANN.

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

AN ACT IMPOSING A PENALTY FOR THE OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF BARBITURATES, AMPHETAMINES, OR OTHER HYPNOTIC OR SOMNIFACIENT DRUGS.

*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. Section 21 of chapter 90 of the General Laws is 2 hereby amended by inserting after the word "ninety-four", in 3 line 18, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 422 of the acts of 4 1961, the words: —, or under the influence of barbiturates, 5 amphetamines, or other hypnotic or somnifacient drugs.

1 SECTION 2. The first sentence of paragraph (a) of sub- 2 division (1) of section 24 of said chapter 90, as amended by 3 section 2 of said chapter 422, is hereby further amended by 4 inserting after the word "ninety-four", in line 6, the words: —, 5 or under the influence of barbiturates, amphetamines, or other 6 hypnotic or somnifacient drugs.