

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1297

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By Mr. Long of Fall River, petition of James R. Lawton and John J. Long for requiring inspection of additional parts of motor vehicles during the period that inspections are required. Highways and Motor Vehicles.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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AN ACT TO REQUIRE INSPECTION OF ADDITIONAL PARTS OF MOTOR VEHICLES DURING THE PERIOD THAT INSPECTIONS ARE REQUIRED BY SECTION SEVEN A OF CHAPTER NINETY.

*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 7A of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as amended, is  
2 hereby further amended by striking out the first sentence of said  
3 section and substituting therefor the following sentence:— The  
4 registrar shall include in the rules and regulations prepared by  
5 him under section thirty-one, rules and regulations providing  
6 for the periodic inspection of all motor vehicles and trailers be-  
7 tween April first and May fifteenth and between September first  
8 and October fifteenth, all dates inclusive, in each year, for the  
9 purpose of determining whether they are provided with the  
10 following equipment maintained in good order, to wit: — brakes,  
11 stop lights, lights, horn, exhaust system, steering gear, wind-  
12 shield, windshield cleaner, number plates, rear windows, tires,  
13 fenders, bumpers, external sheet metal, reflectors, mud flaps and  
14 chock blocks, and also rules and regulations in respect to school  
15 buses, providing, in place of the periodic inspections hereinbefore  
16 referred to, for the inspection of those not subject to the juris-  
17 diction of the department of public utilities, during the first  
18 week of the months of January, March, May, September and  
19 November in each year.

