

HOUSE No. 6204

By Mr. Walsh of Peabody, petition of Thomas P. Walsh relative to the crime of carjacking, so-called. Criminal Justice.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CARJACKING.

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

- 1 Chapter 265 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting
- 2 after Section 21, the following section: —
- 3 Section 21A. Whomever while stealing a motor vehicle or
- 4 intending to steal a motor vehicle, confines, maims, injures or
- 5 wounds, or puts any person in fear for the purpose of stealing
- 6 a motor vehicle shall be punished by imprisonment in the state
- 7 prison for life or any term of years not less than five.

