

HOUSE No. 5140

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 12, 1969.

The committee on Public Safety to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1990) of Richard E. McLaughlin (Registrar of Motor Vehicles) for legislation to define further the word "motorcycle", report the accompanying bill (House, No. 5140).

For the committee,

PAUL J. CORRIVEAU.

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

AN ACT TO FURTHER DEFINE THE TERM "MOTORCYCLE".

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 of chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended
2 by striking out the definition "Motorcycle", as amended by
3 section 1 of chapter 85 of the acts of 1965, and inserting in place
4 thereof the following definition: —

5 "Motorcycle", any motor vehicle having a seat or saddle
6 for the use of the operator and passenger and designed to
7 travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground,
8 including any bicycle with a motor or driving wheel attached,
9 except a tractor or a motor vehicle designed for the carrying of
10 golf clubs and not more than four persons, or a motor vehicle on
11 which the operator and passengers ride within an enclosed cab.