

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 2130

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By Mr. St. Cyr of Millis, petition of John F. St. Cyr for legislation to prohibit standees in school buses. Public Safety.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

### AN ACT PROHIBITING STANDING IN SCHOOL BUSES.

*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 7B of chapter 90 of the General Laws  
2 is hereby amended by striking out clause (2).

1 SECTION 2. Chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by striking out section 7L, inserted by chapter 713 of  
3 the acts of 1968, and inserting in place thereof the following  
4 section: —

5 *Section 7L.* The operator of a school bus shall not allow the  
6 number of school children riding in the bus at any one time to  
7 exceed the number of seats therein, nor shall he drive said bus  
8 until each child is seated. Whoever violates the provisions of  
9 this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty  
10 dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

1 SECTION 3. The provisions of section seven L of chapter  
2 ninety of the General Laws, as inserted by section one of this  
3 act, shall not apply to school buses transporting school children  
4 under the terms of a contract in force on the effective date of  
5 this act until the expiration of the contract.

HOUSE . . . . . No. 2180

By Mr. J. C. [Name] of [State], Chairman of the Committee on [Subject], to accompany H. R. [Number] and for general purposes.

Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives

in the Year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and [Year]

As amended by the Senate and House of Representatives

For a copy of the Senate and House of Representatives report, printed and sold by the printer, at the price of [Amount], see the following:

SECTION 1. [Text]

SECTION 2. [Text]

SECTION 3. [Text]

SECTION 4. [Text]

SECTION 5. [Text]

SECTION 6. [Text]

SECTION 7. [Text]