

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 3393

By Mr. Lapointe of Chicopee, petition of John Grigg and Francis C. Lapointe that licenses to operate motor vehicles contain the blood type of the licensee. Public Safety.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT REQUIRING THE BLOOD TYPE OF THE LICENSEE TO APPEAR ON A LICENSE TO OPERATE A MOTOR VEHICLE AND TO CONFIRM THE PERIOD OF VALIDITY OF LICENSES ISSUED BEFORE JANUARY FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOUR.

*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 8 of chapter 90 of the General Laws is  
2 hereby amended by striking out the tenth sentence and insert-  
3 ing in place thereof the following sentence: — They shall con-  
4 tain a photograph of the licensee, the distinguishing number or  
5 mark assigned to the licensee, his blood type, his name, his  
6 place of residence and address, a brief description of him for  
7 identification, and such other information as the registrar shall  
8 deem necessary.

1 SECTION 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 8 of  
2 chapter 90 of the General Laws, as amended by section 1 of  
3 this act, any license issued by the registrar prior to January 1,  
4 1974 shall remain valid without the licensee's blood type  
5 appearing thereon until the expiration date of such license.

1 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect on January 1, 1974.

