

By Mrs. Cuomo of North Andover, petition of Donna F. Cuomo and other members of the General Court for legislation to provide violence prevention education for children. Human Services and Elderly Affairs.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO VIOLENCE PREVENTION EDUCATION.

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 203 of chapter 6 of the General Laws,
2 as appearing in the 1992 Official Edition, is hereby amended by
3 inserting after paragraph (4) the following paragraph:—
4 (4A) to provide violence prevention education for children in
5 pre-school through grade eight with monies deposited in the
6 Children's Trust Fund from the sale of distinctive number plates.

1 SECTION 2. Section 50 of chapter 10 of the General Laws,
2 as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 12
3 and 13, the following, "(4) any interest earned from the Children's
4 Trust Fund" and inserting in place thereof the following:—
5 (4) from the sale of distinctive number plates indicating support
6 for violence prevention education under the provisions of section
7 two of chapter ninety to be expended for the purposes of para-
8 graph (4A) of section two hundred and three of chapter ninety;
9 (5) and any interest earned from the Children's Trust Fund.

1 SECTION 3. Section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws,
2 as most recently amended by section twenty-eight of chapter four
3 hundred and ninety-five of the acts of 1993 is hereby further
4 amended by adding the following paragraph:—
5 The registrar shall furnish to the owners of private passenger
6 vehicles distinctive number plates which shall display on the face
7 of said plate a design indicating support for violence prevention

8 education. There shall be a forty dollar fee for said plate in addition
9 to the established registration fee for passenger motor vehicles; the
10 portion of said fee remaining after deduction of costs directly attrib-
11 utable to issuing said plate shall be passed over to the Children's
12 Trust Fund established under section fifty of chapter ten.