

# SENATE. . . . . No. 1219

By Mr. Clancy, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1219) of Edward J. Clancy, Jr., for legislation to require individuals convicted of drunk driving to have high bodily insurance coverage before being granted the license to drive again. Public Safety.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT REQUIRING INDIVIDUALS CONVICTED OF DRUNK DRIVING TO HAVE HIGH BODILY INJURY INSURANCE COVERAGE BEFORE BEING GRANTED THE LICENSE TO DRIVE AGAIN.

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

1 Paragraph (b) of subdivision (1) of section 24 of chapter 90 of  
2 the General Laws, as most recently amended by sections 101  
3 to 109 of chapter 60 of the acts of 1994, is hereby amended by  
4 adding the following paragraph:—

5 The license or right to operate of a person convicted of oper-  
6 ating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating  
7 liquor shall not be reinstated until such person has submitted to  
8 the registrar written evidence that he has purchased a policy of  
9 automobile liability insurance covering bodily injury to others that  
10 is in a minimum amount of one hundred thousand dollars per  
11 person, three hundred thousand dollars per accident, and said  
12 insurance shall be maintained for as long as the person continues  
13 to operate a motor vehicle.

