

HOUSE No. 2485

By Messrs. Cusack of Arlington and Rogers of Framingham, petition of John F. Cusack, F. John Monahan, Andrew J. Rogers, Jr., and another for legislation to require school buses to be equipped with seat belts. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO SEAT BELTS ON 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, as
2 most recently amended by chapter 552 of the acts of 1976, is hereby
3 amended by adding at the end thereof the following new clause: —
4 (17) Every school bus shall be equipped with a safety belt for
5 each seat therein.

1 SECTION 2. Section 7L of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as
2 added by section 1 of chapter 713 of the acts of 1968, is hereby
3 amended by inserting at the end of the first sentence thereof the
4 following new words: —
5 and his seat belt is fastened around him.

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