

HOUSE No. 2823

By Mr. Marotta of Medford, petition of Angelo Marotta relative to the safety requirements for trailer hitches. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR TRAILER HITCHES.

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

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary any
2 "trailer hitch" protruding beyond the rear bumper of any motor
3 vehicle registered in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall
4 be completely and safely padded in a manner prescribed by the
5 Registry of Motor Vehicles and inspected during the semi-annual
6 motor vehicle inspection period.

