

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 4356

By Mr. Craven of Boston, petition of the Registrar of Motor Vehicles and James J. Craven, Jr., that provision be made for the suspension of the right to operate a motor vehicle for the non-payment of certain excise taxes. Taxation.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE SUSPENSION OF THE RIGHT TO OPERATE A MOTOR VEHICLE FOR THE NON-PAYMENT OF CERTAIN EXCISE TAXES.

*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 2A of chapter 60A of the General Laws, as most  
2 recently amended by chapter 139 of the acts of 1973, is hereby  
3 further amended by striking out the third sentence and inserting  
4 in place thereof the following sentence: — Unless such evidence is  
5 so filed with the registrar, he shall forthwith suspend the  
6 certificates of registration of all such motor vehicles and trailers,  
7 and he may, after a hearing, as provided in paragraph (b) of  
8 section twenty-two of chapter ninety, suspend any license to  
9 operate motor vehicles which has been issued to the person to  
10 whom such excise tax is assessed and he shall not terminate any  
11 such suspension of registration, license or right to operate motor  
12 vehicles nor renew nor issue any certificate of registration or  
13 license to operate motor vehicles for the person to whom such  
14 excise is assessed until such evidence has been filed with him and  
15 such filing fee paid.

