

HOUSE No. 4732

By Mr. Kennedy of Brockton, petition of Thomas P. Kennedy and another relative to police officers stopping vehicles used in the crime of littering. Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

AN ACT RELATIVE TO LITTERING.

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 16 of chapter 270 of the General Laws, as appearing in
2 the 1996 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the
3 second paragraph the following paragraph:—

4 If a motor vehicle is used in committing such an offense, not-
5 withstanding the amount of the debris or waste, the officer observ-
6 ing such offense shall make every reasonable effort to stop the
7 vehicle and inform the offender of the offense.

