

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 4373

By Mr. DiMasi of Boston, petition of the Massachusetts Police Association and Salvatore DiMasi relative to the safety lights on ramp body tow trucks. Public Safety.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty.

### AN ACT RELATIVE TO SAFETY EQUIPMENT ON RAMP BODY TOW TRUCKS.

*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 7, of Chapter 90, of the General Laws, is hereby amend-  
2 ed, by inserting, after the words, "Every motor vehicle and trailer  
3 so operated shall be equipped with two rear lights mounted one at  
4 each side of the rear of the vehicle so as to show two red lights from  
5 behind and a white light so arranged as to illuminate and not  
6 obscure the rear number plate, and shall be equipped with two stop  
7 lights mounted and displayed in a like manner of a type complying  
8 with the minimum standards for construction and performance as  
9 the registrar may prescribe," the following sentence, "And any  
10 ramp type tow truck having a ramp operated on a hydraulic or like  
11 system, shall display such rear lights at the outermost part of said  
12 ramp."

