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By Mr. Stoddart of Natick, petition of Douglas W. Stoddart relative to the penalty for operating a motor vehicle negligently under the reckless driving laws. Criminal Justice.

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

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### AN ACT RELATIVE TO RECKLESS DRIVING.

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

- 1 Clause (a) of paragraph (2) of section 24 of chapter 90 of the
- 2 General Laws, as appearing in the 1990 Official Edition, is hereby
- 3 amended by inserting after the word "recklessly", in lines 415
- 4 and 416, the words:— or negligently so that the lives or safety of
- 5 the public are imminently threatened.

