

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Steven M. Walsh

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to a junior operator seat belt requirement.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Steven M. Walsh	11th Essex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2409 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO A JUNIOR OPERATOR SEAT BELT REQUIREMENT.

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 8, subsection (e) of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding after the fifth paragraph, the following
3 paragraph:-

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5 A person holding a junior operator's license who operates a motor vehicle without a seat belt
6 shall be subject to a fine of twenty-five dollars. This provision shall be enforced by law
7 enforcement agencies and the operator may be stopped even if there is no other violation of
8 motor vehicle laws or any other offense.

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