

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mr. Brewer

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 the clarification for the definition, testing regulations, and enforcement of motorcycle sound emissions.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Mr. Brewer

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CLARIFICATION FOR THE DEFINITION, TESTING REGULATIONS, AND ENFORCEMENT OF MOTORCYCLE SOUND EMISSIONS.

*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 1. Section 16 of chapter 90, as appearing in the 1998 Official Edition and amended
2 September 1, 2007, is hereby amended following the sentence ending with:
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4 (2) with an exhaust system which has been modified in a manner which will amplify or increase
5 the noise emitted by the exhaust.
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7 by appending the new sentence/clause:
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9 In determining if a motorcycle is in compliance, the definitions, testing regulations, and
10 maximum sound levels as defined in Chapter 90, Sections 7T, 7S, and 7U, will be applied.