

HOUSE No. 3422

By Ms. Atkins of Concord, petition of Cory Atkins and others for legislation to prohibit the use of hand-held cell phones by persons operating motor vehicles. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

Cory Atkins	Martha M. Walz
John W. Scibak	James B. Eldridge
Barbara A. L'Italien	Ellen Story
Denise Provost	Christine E. Canavan
Matthew C. Patrick	

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO CELL PHONE USE IN MOTOR VEHICLES.

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 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2 2000 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following
- 3 paragraph:—
- 4 No person shall operate a motor vehicle while using a cell phone,
- 5 unless the cell phone is hands free, so called.