

HOUSE No. 3470

By Mr. Falzone of Saugus (by request), petition of John Walsh relative to equipment required on vehicles operated by law enforcement officials and certain other agencies. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Seven.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO POLICE 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 9D of Chapter 90, of the General Laws as appearing in
2 the tercentennial edition is hereby amended by striking the balance
3 of the second paragraph, section three following:—

4 (3) federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies, watch
5 guard or patrol agencies licensed under the provisions of section
6 twenty-five of chapter one hundred and forty-seven and college, uni-
7 versity and hospital police agencies appointed under the provisions
8 of section sixty-three of chapter twenty-two C.

9 Section 7 of Chapter 90, of the General Laws as appearing in the
10 tercentennial edition is hereby amended by adding a new paragraph
11 at the end of the section as follows:—

12 Notwithstanding the above, vehicles of federal, state and local
13 law enforcement Agencies, watch guard or patrol agencies licensed
14 under the provisions of section twenty-five hospital police agencies
15 appointed under the provisions of section sixty-three of chapter
16 twenty-two C, shall not be required to have one white so arranged as
17 to illuminate the rear number plate.