

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1636**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*David B. Sullivan*

*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 returning fees for noncriminal hearings of violations of certain motor vehicle laws.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*David B. Sullivan*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*6th Bristol*

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By Mr. Sullivan of Fall River, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1636) of David B. Sullivan relative to returning fees for noncriminal hearings of violations of certain motor vehicle laws. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION

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HOUSE  
 , NO. 1372 OF 2011-2012.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to returning fees for noncriminal hearings of violations of certain motor vehicle laws.

*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. The first paragraph of paragraph (4) of subsection (A) of section 3 of  
2 chapter 90C of the General Laws, as amended by section 73 of the acts of 2009, is hereby further  
3 amended by adding the following sentence:-- If the clerk magistrate finds that the violator is not  
4 responsible for the citation, the \$25 fee shall be returned by the court to the violator.