

HOUSE No. 2484

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Diana DiZoglio

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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to motor vehicle excise taxes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Diana DiZoglio

Benjamin Swan

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

14th Essex

11th Hampden

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By Ms. DiZoglio of Methuen, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2484) of Diana DiZoglio and Benjamin Swan for legislation to simplify the motor vehicle excise tax process and prevent multiple excise charges. Revenue.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act relative to motor vehicle excise taxes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following section:-
2 Section 61. If a license plate is returned to the registry of motor vehicles for any motor
3 vehicle subject to the motor vehicle excise tax established in section 1 of chapter 60A, the
4 registry of motor vehicles shall notify the assessor in the municipality where the motor vehicle
5 was registered. When a license plate is returned to the registry of motor vehicles for any motor
6 vehicle subject to the motor vehicle excise tax established in section 1 of chapter 60A, the
7 registry of motor vehicles shall provide documentation to the person returning the license plate
8 indicating they have returned the plate to the registry of motor vehicles. This documentation
9 shall constitute prima facia evidence of the return of the license plate. No additional excise tax
10 shall accrue on the motor vehicle once the license plate has been returned.