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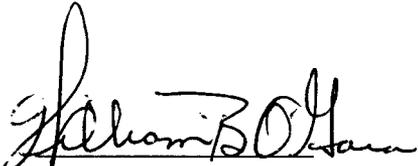
HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 77, L.D. 165, Bill, "An Act to Require All Persons to Use Safety Belts in Motor Vehicles"

Amend the amendment in section 3 in subsection 4 by inserting after paragraph D the following:

'E. Subsection 3-A may be enforced only if a law enforcement officer has detained the operator of a motor vehicle for a suspected violation of another law. An operator is not subject to the penalty established in paragraph D unless the operator is required to pay a fine for the primary violation.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment adds a provision allowing enforcement of the mandatory seat belt provision for persons 4 years of age and over only when a vehicle is stopped for a suspected violation of another law.

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