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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 312, L.D. 400, Bill, "An Act to Improve Compliance with the Laws Governing Financial Responsibility"

Amend the bill in section 1 by striking out all of subsection 5 (page 1, lines 6 to 11 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'5. **Penalty.** Violation of this section is a traffic infraction, for which a forfeiture of not ~~more~~ less than \$100 and not more than \$500 may be assessed.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the statement of fact the following:

FISCAL NOTE

Establishing a mandatory minimum fine at \$100 may increase General Fund revenues by a minor amount.

The Judicial Department will incur some additional costs to collect these fines. These costs can be absorbed by the department utilizing existing budgeted resources.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment sets the forfeiture for operating a motor vehicle without insurance at a minimum of \$100 and a maximum of \$500. The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.

Reported by the Committee on Banking and Insurance
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