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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 138, L.D. 180, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Laws Regarding Proof of Financial Responsibility and to Increase the Required Minimum Amounts of Liability Insurance Coverage"

Amend the bill in section 4 in subsection 6 in the 6th line (page 1, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "A civil penalty of \$50 may be imposed" and inserting in its place the following: 'The Secretary of State may impose an administrative penalty of \$50'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

Table with 3 columns: REVENUES, 1997-98, 1998-99. Row 1: Highway Fund, \$13,931, \$18,575

The additional collection of reinstatement fees as a result of additional license suspensions will increase Highway Fund revenue by \$13,931 and \$18,575 in fiscal years 1997-98 and 1998-99, respectively.

The additional Highway Fund revenue derived from the administrative penalty imposed by the Department of the Secretary of State will be insignificant.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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**SUMMARY**

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6 This amendment clarifies that the Secretary of State may  
8 impose an administrative penalty of \$50 for each day after 15  
State that an insurance carrier fails to notify the Secretary of  
State that a policy was not in effect at the time of an accident.

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The amendment also adds a fiscal note to the bill.