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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 893, L.D. 2312, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Laws"

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 2 in the last line (page 1, line 11 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "vehicle" the following: 'The law enforcement officer may not enforce a violation of the rule adopted pursuant to section 555 unless the officer has completed the course of instruction required by the rule.'

Further amend the bill by striking out all of section 4 (page 1, lines 28 to 41 in L.D.).

Further amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

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

·FISCAL NOTE

The additional workload and administrative costs associated with the minimal number of new cases filed in the court system can be absorbed within the budgeted resources of the Judicial Department. The collection of additional fines may increase General Fund revenue by minor amounts.'

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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SUMMARY

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This amendment stipulates that, while any law enforcement officer has the authority to inspect a driver's record of duty status and medical certificate, only a properly trained officer may take enforcement action. This amendment removes section 4 of the bill relating to passing emergency vehicles that are stopped. It also adds a fiscal note.

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