



General Assembly

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**Committee Bill No. 6058**

LCO No. 3966

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by:  
(TRA)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR ENGAGING IN CONDUCT RESULTING IN DAMAGE TO A MAILBOX.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2009*) (a) The operator of a  
2 motor vehicle who uses such motor vehicle to engage in reckless or  
3 intentional conduct resulting in damage to a mailbox, if such mailbox  
4 is the property of a person other than the driver or a passenger in such  
5 motor vehicle, is guilty of criminal mischief in the third degree.

6 (b) The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles shall suspend the  
7 operator's license of the person operating such vehicle for three  
8 months. In addition, such person shall be sentenced to perform one  
9 hundred twenty hours of community service in accordance with the  
10 provisions of section 14-227e of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2009</i>	New section
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**Statement of Purpose:**

To establish a penalty for reckless or intentional conduct resulting in damage to a mailbox.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*

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