



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6162

LCO No. 666

Referred to Committee on General Law

Introduced by:
REP. PERILLO, 113th Dist.

AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTIES FOR UNDERAGE DRINKING.

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

1 That subsection (b) of section 30-89 of the general statutes be
2 amended to increase the fine for a second or subsequent violation of
3 the prohibition on a minor possessing alcoholic liquor to not less than
4 five hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars, that
5 subsection (a) of section 14-111e of the general statutes be amended to
6 require the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to suspend for thirty days
7 the operator's license of a person under twenty-one years of age who is
8 convicted of a violation of subsection (a) of section 30-89 of the general
9 statutes for purchasing, attempting to purchase or making a false
10 statement for the purpose of procuring alcoholic liquor, that
11 subdivision (2) of subsection (b) of section 30-86 of the general statutes
12 be amended to increase from one thousand five hundred dollars to
13 three thousand dollars the maximum fine for any person who sells,
14 ships, delivers or gives alcoholic liquor to a minor and that title 30 of
15 the general statutes be amended to provide that any person who gives
16 money to a minor knowing that such minor intends to use such money
17 to purchase alcoholic liquor shall be fined not less than five hundred

18 dollars or more than one thousand dollars.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase the penalties for minors who possess, purchase or attempt to purchase alcohol and for persons who give alcohol to minors or facilitate the purchase of alcohol by minors.