



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 6285

January Session, 2015



AN ACT CONCERNING SMOKING IN MOTOR VEHICLES.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) As used in this section,
2 "smoke" or "smoking" means the lighting or carrying of a lighted
3 cigarette, cigar, pipe or similar device.

4 (b) No person shall smoke in a motor vehicle, as defined in section
5 14-1 of the general statutes, when a child who is using or required to
6 use a child restraint system under subsection (d) of section 14-100a of
7 the general statutes is present in such vehicle.

8 (c) Any person who violates any provision of subsection (b) of this
9 section shall, for a first offense, be issued a written warning for such
10 violation, and for any subsequent offense, shall have committed an
11 infraction.

12 (d) Smoking in a motor vehicle in violation of this section shall not
13 constitute probable cause for a law enforcement official to conduct a
14 search of such vehicle and its contents.

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>from passage</i> | New section |

PH *Joint Favorable Subst.*