



General Assembly

January Session, 2023

**Proposed Bill No. 97**

LCO No. 679



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:  
SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.

**AN ACT REQUIRING THE USE OF HELMETS BY MOTORCYCLE OPERATORS AND PASSENGERS UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE.**

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

- 1 That section 14-289g of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 motorcycle operators and passengers under twenty-one years of age,
- 3 rather than under eighteen years of age, to wear protective headgear.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To reduce serious injuries and fatalities by requiring motorcycle operators and passengers under twenty-one years of age to wear helmets.