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HIGHWAY SAFETY ASSESSMENTS

House Bill 5173

Sponsor: Rep. Vincent J. Porreca

Committee: Appropriations

Complete to 10-1-91

A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5173 AS INTRODUCED 9-26-91

The bill would amend the vehicle code to increase the assessment levied on each moving violation from \$5 to \$10. These assessments are allocated to the Highway Safety Fund, but the amount of assessment revenue the fund may receive is capped at \$6 million. The bill would eliminate this limit, and provide that any money not spent by the end of a fiscal year would remain in the fund and not revert to the general fund. The highway safety fund is at present to be spent by the state police for the employment of additional personnel to enforce traffic laws on the highways and freeways; the bill would further authorize use of the fund for the employment of additional at-post troopers.

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