

General Assembly

January Session, 2025

Proposed Bill No. 6358



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: REP. BOLINSKY, 106th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSUMPTION OF CANNABIS PRODUCTS IN MOTOR VEHICLES.

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

That (1) section 54-33p of the general statutes be amended to allow police officers to use the odor of cannabis or burnt cannabis as a basis to support any stop or search of a person or motor vehicle; and (2) sections 53a-213a and 53a-213b of the general statutes be amended to allow police to stop a vehicle where the driver or a passenger is observed consuming cannabis.

Statement of Purpose:

To prevent death and injury by impaired drivers.