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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2013

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RELATING TO ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES - SURCHARGE FOR  
HIGHWAY REPAIR

Introduced By: Senators Lombardo, McCaffrey, DaPonte, Conley, and Ruggerio

Date Introduced: February 06, 2013

Referred To: Senate Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Chapter 31-41.1 of the General Laws entitled "Adjudication of Traffic  
2 Offenses" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

3           **31-41.1-12. Highway repair surcharge.** – Upon the disposition of any complaint  
4 brought pursuant to the applicable provisions of Title 31, sustaining the violation, there shall be  
5 assessed a five dollar (\$5.00) fee which shall be paid forthwith to the department of transportation  
6 for the sole purpose of funding the cost of highway repair and maintenance.

7           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
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1           This act would establish a surcharge of five dollars (\$5.00) on the payment of traffic  
2 offenses to be paid over to the Department of Transportation to fund highway repair and  
3 maintenance.

4           This act would take effect upon passage.

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