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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018

#### AN ACT

#### RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- HIGHWAYS

Introduced By: Representatives Edwards, Newberry, Coughlin, and Johnston

Date Introduced: January 17, 2018

Referred To: House Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 11-22-11 of the General Laws in Chapter 11-22 entitled
- 2 "Highways" is hereby repealed.
- 3 <u>11-22-11. Testing speed of horse.</u>
- 4 Every person who shall drive any horse over any of the public highways, for the purpose
- 5 of racing or trying the speed of the horse, shall be fined not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) or
- 6 imprisoned not exceeding ten (10) days.
- 7 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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#### EXPLANATION

# BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

#### OF

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- 1 This act would repeal the section of the law prohibiting the testing of the speed of a horse
- 2 on a public highway.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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