

1st Sub. H.B. 79
SAFETY BELT LAW AMENDMENTS

Representative **Lee B. Perry** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 13 through 15:*

13 ▶ ~~{repeals}~~ amends the provision that provides that a state or local law enforcement
 officer may
14 only enforce the safety belt restraint requirement as a secondary action in certain
15 circumstances to only apply beginning on a specified date ;
 ▶ provides that until a specified date, a peace officer may not issue a citation to an individual
for a violation if the person has not previously been cited for a violation but shall issue the individual a
warning;

2. *Page 2, Lines 50 through 53:*

50 {+} (4) ~~{For}~~ Beginning on July 1, 2018, and for a person 19 years of age or older
 who violates Subsection (1)(a)(i) or (2),
51 enforcement by a state or local law enforcement officer shall be only as a secondary action
52 when the person has been detained for a suspected violation of Title 41, Motor Vehicles, other
53 than Subsection (1)(a)(i) or (2), or for another offense. {+}

3. *Page 3, Lines 57 through 58:*

57 fined a maximum of \$45.
 (b) Until July 1, 2018, a peace officer may not issue a citation to an individual for a violation of
this section if the person has not previously been cited for a violation of this section but shall issue the
individual a warning informing the individual that operating or being a passenger in a vehicle with out
wearing a property adjusted and fastened safety belt is prohibited.
58 ~~{(b)}~~ (c) The court shall waive all [~~but \$15~~] of the fine for a violation of Section 41-6a-1803