## **SENATE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2156**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court (2015-2016)

SENATE, Thursday, March 3, 2016

The committee on Ways and Means, to whom was referred the Senate Bill relative to larceny (Senate, No. 2132),-- reports, recommending that the same ought to pass with an amendment substituting a new draft with the same title (Senate, No. 2156).

For the committee, Karen E. Spilka

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An Act relative to larceny.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 30 of chapter 266 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 9 and lines 13 to 14, inclusive, the
words "two hundred and fifty dollars" and replacing them with the following figure:- \$1,500.
SECTION 2. Said section 30 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further
amended by striking out, in line 15, the words "three hundred dollars" and replacing them with
the following figure:- \$2,500.

6 SECTION 3. Said section 30 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by striking out, in lines 15 to 23, inclusive, the words "; or, if the property was stolen 7 from the conveyance of a common carrier or of a person carrying on an express business, shall 8 be punished for the first offence by imprisonment for not less than six months nor more than two 9 and one half years, or by a fine of not less than fifty nor more than six hundred dollars, or both, 10 and for a subsequent offence, by imprisonment for not less than eighteen months nor more than 11 two and one half years, or by a fine of not less than one hundred and fifty nor more than six 12 hundred dollars, or both". 13

14 SECTION 4. Section 37C of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further 15 amended by striking out, in line 12, the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" and replacing 16 them with the following figure:-\$1,500.

17 SECTION 5. Said section 37C of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further 18 amended by striking out, in line 17, the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" and replacing 19 them with the following figure:-\$1,500.

SECTION 6. Said section 37C of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by striking out, in line 23, the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" and replacing them with the following figure:-\$1,500.

23 SECTION 7. Said section 37C of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further 24 amended by striking out, in lines 31 to 32, inclusive, the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" 25 and replacing them with the following figure:-\$1,500.

SECTION 8. Said section 37C of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by striking out, in lines 39 to 40, inclusive, the words "two thousand dollars" and replacing them with the following figure:- \$5,000.

SECTION 9. Section 60 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is amended by striking out,
in line 13, the figure "250" and replacing it with the following figure:- 1,500.

SECTION 10. Said section 60 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is amended by
striking out, in line 15, the figure "1,000" and replacing it with the following figure:- 2,500.
SECTION 11. Said section 60 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is amended by
striking out, in line 16, the figure "250" and replacing it with the following figure:- 1,500.
SECTION 12. Said section 60 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is amended by
striking out, in line 20, the figure "250" and replacing it with the following figure:- 1,500.

37 SECTION 13. Section 127 of said chapter 266, as so appearing, is amended by striking
38 out, in line 13, the words "two hundred and fifty dollars" and replacing them with the following
39 figure:- \$1,500.