

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
SPECIAL SPEED REGULATION #7659

Highway Location: ALL STATE HIGHWAYS
Authority In Control: COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
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In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 90, Section 18, of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) as amended, the following Special Speed Regulation is hereby promulgated:

- 1) All Special regulations as to the speed of motor vehicles made relative to a State highway, promulgated prior to January 10, 1994, under authority of Section 18 of Chapter 90 of the Massachusetts General Laws, with exception to Special Speed Regulations numbered 286-A, 773 and 783 dated February 16, 1966, January 25, 1973 and January 25, 1973 respectively, are hereby amended by striking from each such speed regulation any speed limit reading sixty (60) and sixty-five (65) miles per hour and inserting in place thereof, in each instance, a speed limit of fifty-five (55) miles per hour.
- 2) This special regulation shall not apply to drivers of police, fire or other emergency vehicles while operating in an emergency and in performance of public duties when the nature of these duties necessitates operation in excess of this limit.
- 3) The provisions of this regulation shall not, however, abrogate in any sense, Section 14 of Chapter 90.
- 4) The Highway Department and the Registrar of Motor Vehicles, acting jointly, do hereby certify in writing that this regulation is an emergency measure which is consistent with the public interest.
- 5) Standard signs shall be erected at the beginning of each zone.

DATE: 3/29/96

FOR THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

BY: 
Traffic Engineer

FOR THE REGISTRY OF MOTOR VEHICLES

BY: 