



ABATE Position Paper – 2020

Bills we support:

ABATE of NY supports ANY law that protects motorcyclists from distracted or irresponsible drivers. We also support educating drivers and riders regarding motorcycle safety.

Creto/Kade's Law:

BILL NO: A05407

Provides minimum penalty of \$300 for a moving violation which results in serious bodily injury or death of another person.

SPONSOR: Theile

COSPNSR: Lupardo, Steck, Hunter, Hawley, DiPietro, Stirpe, Blankenbush, Byrnes

MLTSPNSR: Barclay, Giglio, McDonough

SAME AS S02509

SPONSOR: Funke

COSPNSR: Akshar, Robach, Young

ACTIONS: 01/08/2020 referred to transportation.

BILL NO: A00214

Authorizes the commissioner of transportation to conduct a comprehensive study of the efficacy of motorcycle helmets.

SPNSR: Cahill

COSPNSR: Lupardo, Miller MG, D'Urso, Engelbright, Crouch, McDonough, Cook, Seawright, Williams, Peoples-Stoke, Hunter.

MLTSPNSR: Fitzpatrick, Simon, Tague

Same as A00320

SPNSR: Robach

ACTIONS: 01/08/2020 referred to transportation.

BILL NO: A03518

Motorcycle Profiling. Requires the municipal police training council to ensure issues related to motorcycle profiling are addressed in basic law enforcement training.

SPONSOR: Lupardo

COSPNSR: Weprin, Stirpe, Ortiz, Benedetto, Rosenthal, Blake, Walczyk

MLTSPNSR: Crouch

SAME AS S02246

SPONSOR: Sanders

ACTIONS: 01/08/2020 referred to governmental operations

Bills we oppose -

The following Bills are 'One House Bills' because they have no support in the other House. However, we need to watch them in case something changes and we oppose them regardless.

BILL NO: A03027/No Same As:

Makes comprehensive motor vehicle insurance (no-fault insurance) applicable to motorcycles.

SPNSR: Ortiz

COSPNSR: Lupardo

BILL NO A03004/No Same As:

Helmet Law; Requires motorcycle users to wear helmets that meet federal motor vehicle safety standards and which have been impact-tested by the U.S. D.O.T., the commissioner of motor vehicles or by an independent laboratory approved by the commissioner of motor vehicles.

SPNSR: Gantt

BILL NO: A03731/No Same As:

Child Passenger; Prohibits children under the age of twelve from riding on a motorcycle.

SPNSR: Gunther

BILL NO A02560/No Same As:

Increases the fine for operating a motorcycle with a muffler that produces excessive or unusual noise from one hundred dollars to seven hundred dollars.

SPNSR: Gantt