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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### **JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019**

### AN ACT

#### RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- HIGHWAYS

<u>Introduced By:</u> Senators Paolino, Pearson, de la Cruz, and Morgan

Date Introduced: February 13, 2019

Referred To: Senate Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 11-22-11 of the General Laws in Chapter 11-22 entitled
"Highways" is hereby repealed.

11-22-11. Testing speed of horse.

Every person who shall drive any horse over any of the public highways, for the purpose of racing or trying the speed of the horse, shall be fined not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) or imprisoned not exceeding ten (10) days.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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## EXPLANATION

## BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

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This act would repeal § 11-22-11 which prohibits the testing of the speed of a horse on a public highway and the applicable fine.

This act would take effect upon passage.

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