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**Testimony to the Senate Judiciary Committee
In Support of SB493
February 15, 2024**

Chairwoman Warren and Committee Members,

Our Associations support SB493. The use of ignition interlock devices is a critical component of the process to reduce recidivism of DUI offenses. The administration of the ignition interlock program is vital to the success of the program. We believe the fees proposed are reasonable and necessary to fund the proper administration of the program. Without this funding there are only two alternatives, use general fund dollars or operate the program at a subpar level. We believe the fee structure is the correct choice.

We urge you to move the bill forward favorably.

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