

HOUSE No. 3270

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

George N. Peterson, Jr.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to firearm license disqualifiers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>George N. Peterson, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>
<i>Matthew A. Beaton</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>
<i>Nicholas A. Boldyga</i>	<i>3rd Hampden</i>
<i>Thomas J. Calter</i>	<i>12th Plymouth</i>
<i>Christine E. Canavan</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Michael R. Knapik</i>	<i>Second Hampden and Hampshire</i>
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>
<i>James R. Miceli</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Michael J. Rodrigues</i>	<i>First Bristol and Plymouth</i>
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>

Donald H. Wong

9th Essex

Bradford Hill

4th Essex

Randy Hunt

5th Barnstable

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By Mr. Peterson of Grafton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3270) of George N. Peterson, Jr. and others relative to previous convictions for persons making application for firearms licenses. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to firearm license disqualifiers.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 129B of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as
2 appearing in the 2010 Official Edition, shall be amended by inserting after the word “applicant”
3 in line 8 the following: - “is a prohibited person as defined in the following subparagraphs (i)
4 through (ix). When determining the status of a prohibited person in regards to convictions, the
5 determination shall only be made using the penalties and sentences in place at the time of
6 conviction.”

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8 SECTION 2. Section 131 of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws, as appearing in
9 the 2010 Official Edition, shall be amended by inserting after the word “applicant” in line 109
10 the following: - “is a prohibited person as defined in the following subparagraphs (i) through
11 (vii). When determining the status of a prohibited person in regards to convictions, the
12 determination shall only be made using the penalties and sentences in place at the time of
13 conviction.”

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