

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 youth firearm training and competition.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
George N. Peterson, Jr.	9th Worcester
F. Jay Barrows	1st Bristol
Matthew A. Beaton	11th Worcester
Nicholas A. Boldyga	3rd Hampden
Thomas J. Calter	12th Plymouth
Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth
Peter J. Durant	6th Worcester
Kimberly N. Ferguson	1st Worcester
Paul K. Frost	7th Worcester
Susan Williams Gifford	2nd Plymouth
Anne M. Gobi	5th Worcester
Michael R. Knapik	Second Hampden and Hampshire
Kevin J. Kuros	8th Worcester
James R. Miceli	19th Middlesex
Richard T. Moore	Worcester and Norfolk
Keiko M. Orrall	12th Bristol
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol
Michael J. Rodrigues	First Bristol and Plymouth

Todd M. Smola	1st Hampden
Donald H. Wong	9th Essex
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester
Bradford Hill	4th Essex
Randy Hunt	5th Barnstable

By Mr. Peterson of Grafton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3273) of George N. Peterson, Jr. and others relative to illegal firearms sales to aliens and unsupervised youth firearm training and the penalties for violations. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to youth firearm training and competition.

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

SECTION 1. Section 130 of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws shall be
amended by deleting the section in its entirety and putting in its place the following:-

3 Section 130. Whoever sells or furnishes a rifle, shotgun or ammunition to any alien 4 eighteen years of age or older who does not hold a permit card issued to him under section one 5 hundred and thirty-one H or, except as provided in this section or section one hundred and thirty-6 one E, whoever sells or furnishes any alien a rifle, shotgun, machine gun or ammunition, shall 7 have his license to sell firearms, rifles, shotguns, machine guns and or ammunition revoked and shall not be entitled to apply for such license for ten years from the date of such revocation and 8 9 shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$10,000, or by imprisonment in a state prison for not more than ten years or by imprisonment in a house of correction for not 10 more than two and one-half years, or by both such fine and imprisonment. 11 12 SECTION 2. Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws shall be amended by inserting Section 130 the following new Section:-13

14 Section 130A Youth Firearm Training, Competition, Activities

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, it shall be lawful to furnish a weapon, as defined in Section 121 of Chapter 140 of the General Laws, to a minor for purposes of hunting, recreation, instruction, participation in shooting sports and any other lawful uses while under the supervision of a holder of a valid Firearm Identification Card or License to Carry appropriate for the weapon in use, providing the parent or guardian of said minor has granted consent for such activities.

- 21 Any person violating (a) or (b) above shall be punished by fine of not less than \$1,000
- 22 nor more than \$10,000, or by imprisonment in a state prison for not more than ten years or by
- 23 imprisonment in a house of correction for not more than two and one-half years, or by both such
- 24 fine and imprisonment.