

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***Kathleen R. LaNatra***

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*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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act extending the limitation on wrongful death actions.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Kathleen R. LaNatra</i>	<i>12th Plymouth</i>	<i>12/1/2023</i>

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By Representative LaNatra of Kingston, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Kathleen R. LaNatra for legislation to further regulate limitations on wrongful death actions. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court  
(2023-2024)**  
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An Act extending the limitation on wrongful death actions.

*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 2 of chapter 229 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out the word “three”, in line 38, each time it  
3 appears, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:- 6.

4           SECTION 2. Section 4 of chapter 260 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby  
5 amended by striking out the word “three”, in line 22, and inserting in place thereof the following  
6 figure:- 6.

7           SECTION 3. Section 4B of said chapter 260, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
8 striking out the word “three”, in line 13, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:- 6.

9           SECTION 4. Section 10 of said chapter 260, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
10 striking out the word “three”, in line 21, and inserting in place thereof the following figure:- 6.