

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 169**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Edward F. Coppinger*

*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 relative to massage therapy services on Sundays and holidays.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Edward F. Coppinger</i>	<i>10th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/14/2015</i>

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By Mr. Coppinger of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 169) of Edward F. Coppinger for legislation to authorize massage therapy services to operate on Sundays and holidays. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to massage therapy services on Sundays and holidays.

*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 6 of chapter 136 of the General Laws, as so appearing in the 2012  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended in clause 54, line 179, by inserting after the word “services”  
3 the following:- and massage therapy services as performed by a massage therapist licensed  
4 under section 228 of chapter 112