

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1031**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Jennifer L. Flanagan***

*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 ice safety..

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Jennifer L. Flanagan*

*37th Middlesex*

*Jennifer E. Benson*

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By Ms. Flanagan, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1031) of Benson and Flanagan for legislation relative to ice safety [Joint Committee on Municipalities and Regional Government].

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act relative to ice safety..

*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. Chapter 48 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after  
2 section 90 the following section:-

3           Section 91. A city or town which accepts this section in the manner provided in section 4  
4 of chapter 4 may impose a permitting process, administered by the fire department, for  
5 individuals using ice melting machines on public waters. The process may include regulations  
6 regarding the size and scope of the use of this equipment.