SENATE No. 1189

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen M. Brewer

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 the lawful sale of ammunition..

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Stephen M. Brewer	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and
	Middlesex
Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.	12th Hampden
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol
Susan Williams Gifford	2nd Plymouth
Bradford Hill	4th Essex
Paul K. Frost	7th Worcester
Demetrius J. Atsalis	2nd Barnstable
Daniel B. Winslow	9th Norfolk
Anne M. Gobi	5th Worcester
Dennis A. Rosa	4th Worcester
Viriato Manuel deMacedo	1st Plymouth
George T. Ross	2nd Bristol
Michael O. Moore	
George N. Peterson, Jr.	9th Worcester
Bruce E. Tarr	
Todd M. Smola	1st Hampden
Marc T. Lombardo	22nd Middlesex

Christine E. Canavan	10th Plymouth
Randy Hunt	5th Barnstable
John J. Binienda	17th Worcester
Donald F. Humason, Jr.	4th Hampden
Richard Bastien	2nd Worcester

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By Mr. Brewer, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1189) of Frost, Hill, Gifford and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to the lawful sale of ammunition [Joint Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE SENATE, NO. 927 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the lawful sale of ammunition..

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 123 of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws shall be
- 2 amended by inserting the following language at the end of the section:
- No company located outside of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall be required to
- 4 be licensed under this section. Said companies shall be entitled to sell ammunition to persons
- 5 properly licensed to possess ammunition under sections 129B or 131 of this chapter, through the
- 6 internet, U.S. Mail or by any other means common to interstate commerce, provided that the
- 7 seller must maintain on file a copy of the buyer's FID Card or License to Carry firearms. Said
- 8 file must be maintained for a period of not less than three years after the completion of the sale.
- 9 All deliveries of ammunition under this paragraph, whether in person or by common carrier,
- must require the signature of the licensed buyer.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to prohibit companies outside of the
Commonwealth of Massachusetts from selling ammunition to persons licensed under sections
13 122 or 122B of this chapter. All deliveries of ammunition under this paragraph, whether in
14 person or by common carrier, must require the signature of the licensee or their adult agent.