SENATE No. 2352

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Marc R. Pacheco

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 authorizing the town of Wareham to grant additional liquor licenses.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Marc R. Pacheco	First Plymouth and Bristol
Susan Williams Gifford	2nd Plymouth

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By Mr. Pacheco, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2352) of Marc R. Pacheco and Susan Williams Gifford (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Wareham to grant additional liquor licenses. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. [Local Approval Received.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Fourteen

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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. Notwithstanding section 17 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, the licensing authority of the town of Wareham may grant 4 additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises, pursuant to section 12 of chapter 138, 1 to be granted to an establishment located at 35 Rosebrook place, 1 to be granted to an establishment at 40 Rosebrook, 1 to be granted to the Lobster Pot located at 3155 Cranberry highway in the East Wareham section of the town of Wareham and 1 to be granted to a restaurant in suite 1 at the Tobey road and state highway route 28 plaza. The licenses shall be subject to all of said chapter 138 except said section 17.

Once issued, the licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of that license to any other location, but it may grant a license to a new applicant at the same location if the applicant files with the licensing authority a letter from the department of revenue and a letter from the department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those departments and that all applicable taxes have been paid.

If a license granted pursuant to this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use at the location of original issuance, the license shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining thereto, to the licensing authority and the licensing authority may then grant the license to a new applicant at the same location under the same conditions as specified in this act.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.