

HOUSE No. 219

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Kevin J. Kuros and Jonathan Hecht

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 lottery ticket litter reduction.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>
<i>Jonathan Hecht</i>	<i>29th Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>
<i>Aaron Vega</i>	<i>5th Hampden</i>
<i>Josh S. Cutler</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Leah Cole</i>	<i>12th Essex</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>

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By Messrs. Kuros of Uxbridge and Hecht of Watertown, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 219) of Kevin J. Kuros, Jonathan Hecht and others for legislation to a establish a “second chance” lottery to help address the problem of lottery ticket litter. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act relative to lottery ticket litter reduction.

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 165 of the acts of 2014 is hereby amended by inserting in section 2,
2 in item 0640-0010, the following clause:-

3 ; and provided further, that not less than 20 per cent of the amount appropriated in this
4 item shall be expended by the state treasurer for the creation, implementation, and marketing of a
5 “second chance lottery program” to encourage the recycling of lottery tickets to reduce waste and
6 litter.