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HOUSE . . . . . No. 3803

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

William M. Straus and Michael J. Rodrigues

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 a quorum in the town of Rochester.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
William M. Straus	*10th Bristol*
Michael J. Rodrigues	*First Bristol and Plymouth*

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By Representative Straus of Mattapoisett and Senator Rodrigues, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3803) of William M. Straus and Michael J. Rodrigues (by vote of the town) for legislation to validate certain actions taken at the annual town meeting held in the town of Rochester. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act relative to a quorum in the town of Rochester.

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 13 of Chapter 39 of the General Laws or any other general or special law or town by-law to the contrary, the acts and proceedings taken by the Town of Rochester at the June 8, 2015 annual town meeting and all actions taken pursuant thereto are ratified, validated and confirmed to the same extent as if a quorum had been present at said meeting as required by law.

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