HOUSE No. 1115

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Elizabeth A. Poirier

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 valid identification at voting polls.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Elizabeth A. Poirier	14th Bristol	1/20/2011
F. Jay Barrows	1st Bristol	2/3/2011
Susan Williams Gifford	2nd Plymouth	1/20/2011
Paul K. Frost	7th Worcester	2/4/2011
Joyce A. Spiliotis	12th Essex	1/26/2011
Daniel K. Webster	6th Plymouth	2/3/2011
Stephen L. DiNatale	3rd Worcester	1/25/2011
Geoff Diehl	7th Plymouth	1/21/2011
George T. Ross	2nd Bristol	1/25/2011
Nicholas A. Boldyga	3rd Hampden	2/3/2011
Kimberly N. Ferguson	1st Worcester	2/3/2011
Kevin J. Kuros	8th Worcester	2/3/2011
Steven L. Levy	4th Middlesex	2/3/2011
Shaunna O'Connell	3rd Bristol	2/1/2011
Donald H. Wong	9th Essex	2/4/2011
Richard Bastien	2nd Worcester	2/4/2011

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By Mrs. Poirier of North Attleborough, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1115) of Elizabeth A. Poirier and others relative to proof of valid identification at voting polls. Election Laws.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to valid identification at voting polls.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- Section 76B, Chapter 54 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following
- 2 subsection:-
- 3 (c) -- Any person who seeks to vote in a public election is required to establish his or her
- 4 qualifications to vote by providing a current valid photo form of identification to election
- 5 officials prior to voting. Acceptable forms of photo identification provided is either a current
- 6 driver's license, a government employee card, a pilot's license, military identification, a
- 7 Medicaid or Medicare card, and for students, a photo identification university card.