

HOUSE No. 1743

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jay R. Kaufman

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 fees for the use of State House facilities.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Jay R. Kaufman</i>	<i>15th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/21/2011</i>
<i>Frank I. Smizik</i>	<i>15th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/28/2011</i>
<i>Cleon H. Turner</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>2/2/2011</i>
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>		<i>2/3/2011</i>
<i>Martin J. Walsh</i>	<i>13th Suffolk</i>	<i>2/3/2011</i>
<i>Denise Andrews</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>	<i>2/4/2011</i>

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By Mr. Kaufman of Lexington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1743) of Jay R. Kaufman and others relative to fees for the use of State House facilities. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An act relative to fees for the use of State House facilities.

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 9A of chapter 8 of the General Laws, as amended by section 3 of
- 2 the chapter 55 of the Acts of 2003, is hereby further amended by adding the following sentence: -
- 3 No fee or charge shall be levied upon non-profit or advocacy entities and groups petitioning,
- 4 informing or engaging elected or appointed officials of the Commonwealth for meetings,
- 5 receptions or exhibitions held in the state house during business hours.