

HOUSE No. 509

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Todd M. Smola

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 prohibiting harassment of public officials.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>	<i>1/19/2011</i>

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By Mr. Smola of Palmer, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 509) of Todd M. Smola for legislation to prohibit harassment of certain public officials. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 4008 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven
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An Act prohibiting harassment of public officials.

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 43A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting, after the word “person” the first time it appears in line
3 3, the following words:-

4 or a state or local government official who is elected to office