

SENATE No. 1189

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Stephen M. Brewer

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 the lawful sale of ammunition..

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Stephen M. Brewer</i>	<i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire, Franklin</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>
<i>Bradford Hill</i>	<i>4th Essex</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Demetrius J. Atsalis</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>
<i>Daniel B. Winslow</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>
<i>Dennis A. Rosa</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>
<i>Viriato Manuel deMacedo</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>
<i>George T. Ross</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	
<i>George N. Peterson, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>
<i>Marc T. Lombardo</i>	<i>22nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Christine E. Canavan</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>

<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>
<i>John J. Binienda</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>
<i>Donald F. Humason, Jr.</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>
<i>Richard Bastien</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>

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By Mr. Brewer, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1189) of Frost, Hill, Gifford and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to the lawful sale of ammunition [Joint Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 927 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the lawful sale of ammunition..

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 123 of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws shall be
2 amended by inserting the following language at the end of the section:

3 No company located outside of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall be required to
4 be licensed under this section. Said companies shall be entitled to sell ammunition to persons
5 properly licensed to possess ammunition under sections 129B or 131 of this chapter, through the
6 internet, U.S. Mail or by any other means common to interstate commerce, provided that the
7 seller must maintain on file a copy of the buyer’s FID Card or License to Carry firearms. Said
8 file must be maintained for a period of not less than three years after the completion of the sale.

9 All deliveries of ammunition under this paragraph, whether in person or by common carrier,
10 must require the signature of the licensed buyer.

11 Nothing in this section shall be deemed to prohibit companies outside of the
12 Commonwealth of Massachusetts from selling ammunition to persons licensed under sections
13 122 or 122B of this chapter. All deliveries of ammunition under this paragraph, whether in
14 person or by common carrier, must require the signature of the licensee or their adult agent.