

SENATE No. 1224

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Anthony W. Petrucci

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 study commission on GPS locators in firearms.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Anthony W. Petrucci

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

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By Mr. Petruccelli, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1224) of Petruccelli for legislation to create a GPS Locators in Firearms Study Commission [Joint Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 978 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to a study commission on GPS locators in firearms.

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. A special commission after this referred to as the Global Positioning
2 System Locators in Firearms Study Commission, is hereby established for the purpose of making
3 an investigation and study relative to the feasibility of placing Global Positioning System
4 (“GPS”) locators in firearms.

5 The Global Positioning System Locators in Firearms Study Commission shall consist of
6 7 members; the House of Representatives Chair on Public Safety and Homeland Security, the
7 Senate Chair on Public Safety and Homeland Security, one member of the Executive Office of
8 Public Safety and Security, appointed by the Secretary of the Executive Office and Public Safety
9 and Security, one designee from the Gun Owners’ Action League (“GOAL”), one Chief of
10 Police from a city or town, appointed by the Governor, one designee from the City of Boston

11 Mayor's Office, appointed by the Mayor of Boston, one designee appointed by the Boston City
12 Council.

13 The commission shall report to the general court the results of its investigation and study,
14 together with drafts of legislation necessary to carry such recommendations into effect by filing
15 the same with the clerk of the senate before the bill filing deadline for the 2013-2014 general
16 court session.