

**SENATE . . . . . No. 2026**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Gale D. Candaras***

*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 validating the actions taken at the annual town election in the town of Hampden.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Gale D. Candaras*

*2nd Hampden*

*Brian M. Ashe*

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act validating the actions taken at the annual town election in the town of Hampden.

*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. Notwithstanding sections 9A and 10 of chapter 39 of the General Laws and  
2 section 64 of chapter 54 of the General Laws or any other general or special law or by-law to the  
3 contrary, all votes, acts and proceedings taken by the town of Hampden at the May 2, 2011  
4 election to exempt from section 21C of chapter 59 of the General Laws the amounts required to  
5 pay for bonds issued to purchase a fire engine to replace the 1972 Maxim and the 1974 Diamond  
6 Reo tanker are thereby ratified, validated and confirmed, notwithstanding any defect or omission  
7 with regard to the warrant for the election.

8           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.