

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1321**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Gloria L. Fox***

*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 End of Life Family Funeral visitation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Gloria L. Fox</i>	<i>7th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/18/2013</i>
<i>Linda Dorcena Forry</i>	<i>12th Suffolk</i>	
<i>Denise Andrews</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>	
<i>Christine E. Canavan</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	

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By Ms. Fox of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1321) of Gloria L. Fox and others relative to funeral visitation for inmates. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1296 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to End of Life Family Funeral visitation.

*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 90A of chapter 127, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended
- 2 by inserting after the words “provisions of this section”, at line 20, at the end of the first
- 3 sentence, the following words:- except, under escort, to attend the funeral of a relative or to visit
- 4 a critically ill relative.