

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1415**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Louis L. Kafka*

*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 judicial discretion regarding immigration status.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>	
<i>Cheryl A. Coakley-Rivera</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>	

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By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1415) of Louis L. Kafka and Cheryl A. Coakley-Rivera relative to judicial discretion regarding immigration status. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2226 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act Relative to judicial discretion regarding immigration status.

*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. Paragraph (d) of Section 3 of Chapter 211E of the General Laws is hereby  
2 amended by adding the following subparagraph:

3           (18) The offender’s immigration status.