

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1453**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Kevin J. Kuros***

*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 protecting businesses that donate to food banks.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	<i>1/18/2013</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>	
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>	
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	
<i>Nicholas A. Boldyga</i>	<i>3rd Hampden</i>	
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	

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By Mr. Kuros of Uxbridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1453) of Kevin J. Kuros and others for legislation to exempt businesses donating to food banks from liability for civil damages. The Judiciary.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**

An Act protecting businesses that donate to food banks.

*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 328 of Chapter 94 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the beginning thereof the following:--

3 For the purpose of this section "Person" shall mean an individual, corporation,  
4 partnership, an association, joint stock company, a trust or an unincorporated organization.