

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1569**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Elizabeth A. Poirier*

*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 the Massachusetts homestead law.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>	<i>1/18/2013</i>
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	<i>2/1/2013</i>

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By Ms. Poirier of North Attleborough, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1569) of Elizabeth A. Poirier and Kevin J. Kuros for legislation to expand the definition "owner" in relation to homestead protection. The Judiciary.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to the Massachusetts homestead law.

*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 of chapter 188 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by inserting in line 73 after the word “common” the following:-
- 3 , persons who hold a remainder interest in the realty,