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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### Martha M. Walz

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 maximum age for jurors.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Martha M. Walz	8th Suffolk	1/7/2013
Kay Khan	11th Middlesex	
Cory Atkins	14th Middlesex	

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By Ms. Walz of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1681) of Martha M. Walz, Kay Khan and Cory Atkins for legislation to raise the maximum age for jurors. The Judiciary.

### [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 1385 OF 2011-2012.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act relative to the maximum age for jurors.

*Whereas,* The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to adjust the age for the juror service exemption , therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Chapter 234 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010
Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 26, the word "seventy" and inserting
in place thereof the following figure:- 75.

4 SECTION 2. Section 4 of Chapter 234A in the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby 5 amended by striking out, in line 8, the word "seventy" and inserting in place thereof the

6 following figure:- 75.