

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2570**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***John P. Fresolo***

*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 to impose a tax on cigarette rolling papers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>John P. Fresolo</i>	<i>16th Worcester</i>	<i>1/18/2013</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>	

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By Mr. Fresolo of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2570) of John P. Fresolo and Marjorie C. Decker for legislation to impose a tax on the sale of rolling paper for cigarettes. Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2511 OF 2011-2012.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act to impose a tax on cigarette rolling papers.

*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. Chapter 64H of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting the following section.

3 Section 2B. In addition to the foregoing tax there is hereby established an additional tax  
4 of \$5 on the sale of tobacco rolling papers per package.