

HOUSE No.**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

Ryan C. Fattman

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 resolution:

**Resolutions RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING THE
HOUSING OF ILLEGAL ALIENS IN MASSACHUSETTS.**

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>7/24/2014</i>
<i>Kevin J. Kuros</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>	
<i>Matthew A. Beaton</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	
<i>Nicholas A. Boldyga</i>	<i>3rd Hampden</i>	
<i>Leah Cole</i>	<i>12th Essex</i>	
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>	
<i>Geoff Diehl</i>	<i>7th Plymouth</i>	
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>	<i>7/24/2014</i>
<i>Peter J. Durant</i>	<i>6th Worcester</i>	<i>7/24/2014</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>	
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	
<i>Sheila C. Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>	

<i>Bradford Hill</i>	<i>4th Essex</i>	
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Marc T. Lombardo</i>	<i>22nd Middlesex</i>	
<i>James J. Lyons, Jr.</i>	<i>18th Essex</i>	
<i>Leonard Mirra</i>	<i>2nd Essex</i>	
<i>Shaunna O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>	
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>	
<i>David T. Vieira</i>	<i>3rd Barnstable</i>	

HOUSE No.

By Mr. Fattman of Sutton, a petition (accompanied by resolution, House, No. [BILL NUMBER])
of Ryan C. Fattman and others [BACKING TEXT]. House Rules.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Fourteen

Resolutions RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING THE
HOUSING OF ILLEGAL ALIENS IN MASSACHUSETTS.

1 WHEREAS, UNACCOMPANIED ALIENS FROM CENTRAL AMERICA HAVE
2 CROSSED THE BORDER INTO THE UNITED STATES; AND

3 WHEREAS, PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA HAS REQUESTED THE
4 COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS SHELTER THOUSANDS OF THESE
5 UNACCOMPANIED ALIENS IN STATE FACILITIES; AND

6 WHEREAS, THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH DEVAL L. PATRICK
7 IS THE SUPREME EXECUTIVE MAGISTRATE OF MASSACHUSETTS; AND

8 WHEREAS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IS A REPRESENTATION OF
9 THE PEOPLE, ELECTED AND FOUNDED UPON THE PRINCIPLE OF EQUALITY
10 PROVIDE FOR A REPRESENTATION OF THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH,
11 AS WRITTEN IN THE COMMONWEALTH'S CONSTITUTION; AND

12 WHEREAS, THERE HAS BEEN NO CONSULTATION BETWEEN THE HOUSE OF
13 REPRESENTATIVES WITH THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH
14 PERTAINING TO THE HOUSING OF ILLEGAL ALIENS IN MASSACHUSETTS
15 FACILITIES; AND

16 WHEREAS, THERE ARE SERIOUS CONCERNS ABOUT THE SHELTERING OF
17 ILLEGAL ALIENS IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS ALBEIT ISSUES
18 OF SAFETY IN THE TIME OF AN IMMIGRATION CRISIS; THEREFORE BE IT

19 RESOLVED, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES URGES THE GOVERNOR, IN
20 AN ACT OF SOLIDARITY WITH THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES NOT TO
21 SHELTER ILLEGAL ALIENS IN THE COMMONWEALTH AT THE REQUEST OF

22 PRESIDENT BARACK OBAMA DUE TO SERIOUS PUBLIC SAFETY, PUBLIC HEALTH,
23 AND FINANCIAL CONCERNS; AND BE IT FURTHER

24 RESOLVED, THAT A COPY OF THESE RESOLUTIONS BE FORWARDED BY
25 THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO GOVERNOR DEVAL L.
26 PARTICK.