

HOUSE No. 1298

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Gloria L. Fox

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 End of Life Family Funeral visitation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Gloria L. Fox</i>	<i>7th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/16/2015</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	<i>9/17/2019</i>
<i>Linda Dorcena Forry</i>	<i>First Suffolk</i>	<i>9/17/2019</i>

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By Ms. Fox of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1298) of Gloria L. Fox, Chris Walsh and Linda Dorcena Forry relative to funeral visitation for inmates. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1321 OF 2013-2014.]

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)

An Act relative to End of Life Family Funeral visitation.

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 90A of chapter 127, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, is hereby amended
- 2 by inserting after the words “provisions of this section”, at line 20, at the end of the first
- 3 sentence, the following words:- except, under escort, to attend the funeral of a relative or to visit
- 4 a critically ill relative.