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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul R. Heroux

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 for out of state sex offenders.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Paul R. Heroux	*2nd Bristol*
Leah Cole	*12th Essex*
Josh S. Cutler	*6th Plymouth*
Linda Dorcena Forry	*First Suffolk*
Joseph W. McGonagle, Jr.	*28th Middlesex*
Chris Walsh	*6th Middlesex*

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By Mr. Heroux of Attleboro, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1360) of Paul R. Heroux and others relative to the registration of sex offenders moving into the Commonwealth from another state. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. *1381* OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act for out of state sex offenders.

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

Section 178E Chapter 6 Subsection (g) of the Massachusetts general laws is hereby amended by striking and replacing subsection (g) with, "A sex offender who moves into the commonwealth from another jurisdiction shall, within two days of moving into the commonwealth, register by mailing to the board on a form approved by the board and signed under the pains and penalties of perjury, the sex offender's name, date of birth, home address or intended home address, any secondary addresses or intended secondary addresses, work address or intended work address, places where the sex offender lives, abides, lodges, or resides for a period of 14 or more days in the aggregate during any calendar year and which is not a sex offender's primary address; or a place where a sex offender routinely lives, abides, lodges, or resides for a period of 4 or more consecutive or nonconsecutive days in any month and which is

11 not a sex offender's permanent address, including any out-of-state address." and, if the sex
12 offender is or intends to become a part-time or full-time employee of an institution of higher
13 learning, the name and address of the institution, and, if the sex offender is or intends to become
14 a part-time or full-time student of an institution of higher learning, the name and address of the
15 institution. The board shall transmit the registration data to the police department in the
16 municipality where such sex offender intends to live and work and, if the sex offender intends to
17 work at or become a student at an institution of higher learning, to the police departments in the
18 municipalities where the sex offender will work or attend such institution and shall transmit the
19 same to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. In the event an out of state sex offender is granted a
20 hearing challenging his or her classification, SORB will continue to transmit the most current
21 registration and classification data to the police department in the municipality where such sex
22 offender intends to live and work and, if the sex offender intends to work at or become a student
23 at an institution of higher learning, to the police departments in the municipalities where the sex
24 offender will work or attend such institution and shall transmit the same to the Federal Bureau of
25 Investigation.