

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 1379

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Kate Hogan*

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*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 rescue of foals.

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PETITION OF:

| NAME:                         | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:       | DATE ADDED:      |
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| <i>Kate Hogan</i>             | <i>3rd Middlesex</i>    | <i>1/13/2015</i> |
| <i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>     | <i>37th Middlesex</i>   | <i>9/19/2019</i> |
| <i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>      | <i>8th Middlesex</i>    | <i>9/19/2019</i> |
| <i>Susannah M. Whipps Lee</i> | <i>2nd Franklin</i>     | <i>9/19/2019</i> |
| <i>Chris Walsh</i>            | <i>6th Middlesex</i>    | <i>9/19/2019</i> |
| <i>Michael O. Moore</i>       | <i>Second Worcester</i> | <i>9/19/2019</i> |

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By Ms. Hogan of Stow, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1379) of Kate Hogan and others relative to the transfer of ownership of foals under five months by shelters. The Judiciary.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3294 OF 2013-2014.]

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In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)  
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An Act relative to the rescue of foals.

*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 78A of chapter 272 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2010 Official
- 2 Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- This section shall not apply to the
- 3 transfer of ownership of foals under 5 months by shelters as defined in section 136A of chapter
- 4 140, to provide care to a foal.