

HOUSE No. 1660

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Timothy R. Whelan

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 safety of children in camps.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>1/12/2015</i>
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>	<i>9/26/2019</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>9/26/2019</i>
<i>Daniel A. Wolf</i>	<i>Cape and Islands</i>	<i>9/26/2019</i>
<i>Shaunna L. O'Connell</i>	<i>3rd Bristol</i>	<i>9/26/2019</i>
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>	<i>9/26/2019</i>

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By Mr. Whelan of Brewster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1660) of Timothy R. Whelan and others for legislation to prohibit sex offenders from employment or volunteer status at camps for children. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1660 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to the safety of children in camps.

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. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, a candidate for
2 employment or volunteer status at a camp for children shall be disqualified if the sex offender
3 registry board, pursuant to section 178K(2) of chapter 6 of the General Laws, has given the
4 candidate a level 1 designation under said section 178K(2)(a), a level 2 designation under said
5 section 178K(2)(b), or a level 3 designation under said section 178(K)(2)(c).