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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### Peter J. Durant

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 clarifying insurance requirements for plumbing work.

#### PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Peter J. Durant	6th Worcester	1/16/2015
Leonard Mirra	2nd Essex	

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By Mr. Durant of Spencer, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 179) of Peter J. Durant and Leonard Mirra relative to insurance requirements for plumbing work on single family homes. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

## [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. 203 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act clarifying insurance requirements for plumbing work.

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 21A of Chapter 142, as appearing in the 2010 Official Edition is hereby amended
- 2 by striking the second paragraph and inserting in place thereof, the following:

3	In lieu of such insurance requirement, plumbing and gas inspectors shall accept the
4	signature of the owner on the uniform application for a permit to perform plumbing or gas work
5	upon the property of said owner; provided, however that said owner shall be the individual or
6	real person listed on the deed of said property; provided, further, that said property shall be the
7	primary residence of owner and shall be no greater than a single family home.