

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 199**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Thomas A. Golden, Jr.*

*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 further regulating the recorking of wine.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Thomas A. Golden, Jr.</i>	<i>16th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/15/2015</i>
<i>David M. Nangle</i>	<i>17th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	
<i>Ann-Margaret Ferrante</i>	<i>5th Essex</i>	
<i>Leah Cole</i>	<i>12th Essex</i>	
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	

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By Mr. Golden of Lowell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 199) of Thomas A. Golden, Jr., and others relative to the recorking of wine. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 221 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act further regulating the recorking of wine.

*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. Section 3 of Chapter 33 of the Acts of 2010 is hereby amended by  
2 inserting, at the end of the paragraph, the following:- and provided further, that the limitations  
3 relative to service and consumption in a tavern, club or war veterans organization licensed  
4 pursuant to this section shall not be deemed to preclude the holder of the tavern, club or war  
5 veterans license from allowing a patron, member or guest, as the case may be, to retain and take  
6 off the premises only so much as may remain of a bottled wine purchased by the said patron,  
7 member or guest in conjunction with a meal and not totally consumed by said patron, member or  
8 guest during such meal; provided further, that the bottle shall be resealed in accordance with  
9 regulations promulgated by the commission.