## HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 2146

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Peter V. Kocot

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 improving elevator inspection procedures.

## PETITION OF:

| Name:              | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Peter V. Kocot     | 1st Hampshire     | 1/15/2015   |
| Marjorie C. Decker | 25th Middlesex    | 2/3/2015    |
| Marcos A. Devers   | 16th Essex        | 2/3/2015    |
| Ellen Story        | 3rd Hampshire     | 1/28/2015   |
| Benjamin Swan      | 11th Hampden      | 1/29/2015   |

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By Mr. Kocot of Northampton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2146) of Peter V. Kocot and others for legislation to establish a reporting protocol for the Executive Office of Public Safety to monitor and report the backlogs in elevator inspections across the Commonwealth. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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

An Act relative to improving elevator inspection procedures.

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 64 of Chapter 143 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
- 2 inserting at the end thereof the following:-
- 3 "The secretary of the executive office of public safety shall provide a list of all elevators
- 4 inspected in the past twelve months, the location of said inspections, the location of all pending
- 5 inspections, the amount of time each pending inspection has been on a waiting list, the number of
- 6 state certified elevator inspectors and their geographic distribution, the inspection backlog for
- 7 each inspector, the number of elevators out of service due to inspection violations, non-
- 8 inspection or disrepair and the agency's action plan and cost estimate for reducing said inspection
- 9 backlogs to three days or less, on a bi-annual basis to the House and Senate committees on ways
- and means and the House and Senate committees on post audit and oversight".