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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

#### PRESENTED BY:

#### Denise Provost and Jay D. Livingstone

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 speed limits.

#### PETITION OF:

| NAME:                  | DISTRICT/ADDRESS: | DATE ADDED: |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Denise Provost         | 27th Middlesex    | 1/15/2015   |
| Jay D. Livingstone     | 8th Suffolk       | 1/15/2015   |
| Leah Cole              | 12th Essex        | 1/21/2015   |
| Timothy J. Toomey, Jr. | 26th Middlesex    | 2/2/2015    |
| Gailanne M. Cariddi    | 1st Berkshire     | 2/4/2015    |
| Jonathan Hecht         | 29th Middlesex    | 2/2/2015    |
| Kate Hogan             | 3rd Middlesex     | 2/3/2015    |
| Chris Walsh            | 6th Middlesex     | 2/3/2015    |

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By Representatives Provost of Somerville and Livingstone of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3070) of Denise Provost and others relative to speed limits inside certain thickly settled areas or business districts. Transportation.

# [SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE HOUSE, NO. *3129* OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to speed limits.

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 17 of said chapter 90, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line
- 2 13, the words "or (4)" and inserting in place thereof the following:-
- 3 (4) inside a thickly settled or business district on a way which is 40 feet wide or less,
- 4 from curb to curb, and on which parking is not prohibited on one or both sides, or on which there
- 5 is a dedicated bicycle lane, at a rate of speed exceeding 25 miles per hour for a distance of one-
- 6 eighth of a mile, or (5).