

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Marcos A. Devers

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 Dominoes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Marcos A. Devers</i>	<i>16th Essex</i>	<i>7/20/2016</i>

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By Mr. Devers of Lawrence, a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Marcos A. Devers for legislation to designate dominoes as the official game of the Commonwealth. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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

An Act relative to Dominoes.

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. Chapter 2 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following
2 section:-

3 Section 62. Dominoes shall be the official game of the commonwealth and shall be used
4 to promote social recreation and mental skill.

5 SECTION 2. Chapter 6 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section
6 15ZZZZZ the following section:

7 Section 15AAAAAA. The governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting apart the
8 third week in June of each year as Dominoes Week, to recognize the game of dominoes as a
9 sport and to encourage the citizens of the commonwealth to celebrate this convivial game of
10 mental skill, and recommending that the week be observed in an appropriate manner by the
11 people.