

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1229**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*James E. Timilty*

*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 tanning facilities.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>James E. Timilty</i>	<i>Bristol and Norfolk</i>	
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	
<i>David M. Rogers</i>	<i>24th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Cynthia S. Creem</i>	<i>First Middlesex and Norfolk</i>	
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>	
<i>Tom Sannicandro</i>	<i>7th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Timothy R. Madden</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>	
<i>Daniel J. Ryan</i>	<i>2nd Suffolk</i>	
<i>Marcos A. Devers</i>	<i>16th Essex</i>	
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>	
<i>James Arciero</i>	<i>2nd Middlesex</i>	
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>	
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Kenneth J. Donnelly</i>	<i>Fourth Middlesex</i>	<i>3/26/2015</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>	<i>5/13/2015</i>
<i>Carmine L. Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>	<i>6/24/2015</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	<i>7/31/2015</i>

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By Mr. Timilty, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1229) of James E. Timilty, Marjorie C. Decker, Denise Provost, David M. Rogers and other members of the General Court for legislation to regulate tanning facilities. Public Health.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 1105 OF 2013-2014.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

*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 207 of chapter 111 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012  
2 Official Edition, is amended by inserting after the definition for “Board”, in line 8, the following  
3 definition: -

4           “Operator”, a person employed and trained by the licensee to control the operation of a  
5 tanning device in compliance with this section and sections 208 to 213, inclusive, and to assist  
6 and instruct the public in the correct operation of the tanning facility and its equipment.

7           SECTION 2. Section 210 of said chapter 111, as so appearing, is hereby amended by  
8 adding the following sentence at the beginning thereof:-

9           No tanning facility shall employ a person under 18 years of age as an operator or permit  
10 an employee under 18 years of age to operate a tanning device.

11           SECTION 3. Said chapter 111 is hereby further amended by striking out section 211, as  
12 so appearing, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

13           Section 211. No person under 18 years of age shall use a tanning device.