

**SENATE . . . . . No. 139**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Benjamin B. Downing***

*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 jewelry sold by hawkers and peddlers.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                      | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:                                 |
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| <i>Benjamin B. Downing</i> | <i>Berkshire, Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden</i> |
| <i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>  | <i>25th Middlesex</i>                             |

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By Mr. Downing, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 139) of Benjamin B. Downing and Marjorie C. Decker for legislation relative to jewelry sold by hawkers and peddlers. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to jewelry sold by hawkers and peddlers.

*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 16 of Chapter 101 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition,  
2 is hereby amended by striking out, in line 1, the word “jewelry”, and further in lines 2 to 4, the  
3 words “This prohibition shall not apply to costume jewelry, so called, with a dollar value of not  
4 more than ten dollars per piece made by a nonprofit or charitable organization”.