

SENATE No. 168

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Thomas P. Kennedy

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 requiring certain officials to be trained in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Thomas P. Kennedy

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Plymouth and Bristol

SENATE No. 168

By Mr. Kennedy, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 168) of Thomas P. Kennedy for legislation to require certain officials to be trained in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 119 OF 2013-2014.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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

An Act requiring certain officials to be trained in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

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 142 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after
2 section 11A the following section:—

3 Section 11B. Any person appointed inspector of plumbing or inspector of gasfitting under
4 sections 11 and 11A shall be trained to administer cardiopulmonary resuscitation. The training
5 shall not be less than the standards established by the Committee on Cardiopulmonary
6 Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiac Care of the American Heart Association, and shall be
7 satisfactorily completed by them as soon as practical but in no event more than one year after the
8 date of their appointment.

9 SECTION 2. Section 3 of chapter 143 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1998
10 Official Edition is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:—

11 Any person appointed hereunder shall be trained to administer cardiopulmonary
12 resuscitation. The training shall not be less than the standards established by the Committee on
13 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiac Care of the American Heart
14 Association, and shall be satisfactorily completed by them as soon as practical, but in no event
15 more than one year after the date of their appointment.

16 SECTION 3. Section 32 of chapter 166 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
17 amended by adding the following paragraph:—

18 Any person appointed hereunder shall be trained to administer cardiopulmonary
19 resuscitation. The training shall not be less than the standards established by the Committee on
20 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiac Care of the American Heart
21 Association, and shall be satisfactorily completed by them as soon as practical, but in no event
22 more than one year after the date of their appointment.