

SENATE No. 413

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Anne M. Gobi

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 to enhance the management of problem wildlife.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Anne M. Gobi	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex
Marc R. Pacheco	First Plymouth and Bristol
William N. Brownsberger	Second Suffolk and Middlesex
James B. Eldridge	Middlesex and Worcester
Michael O. Moore	Second Worcester
Jason M. Lewis	Fifth Middlesex
Robert L. Hedlund	Plymouth and Norfolk
Timothy R. Madden	Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket
Louis L. Kafka	8th Norfolk
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex
Mark J. Cusack	5th Norfolk
Lori A. Ehrlich	8th Essex
Jennifer E. Benson	37th Middlesex
Jonathan Hecht	29th Middlesex
James M. Cantwell	4th Plymouth
William Smitty Pignatelli	4th Berkshire
David M. Rogers	24th Middlesex

<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>
<i>Peter V. Kocot</i>	<i>1st Hampshire</i>
<i>Paul W. Mark</i>	<i>2nd Berkshire</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Sarah K. Peake</i>	<i>4th Barnstable</i>
<i>Angelo J. Puppolo, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Hampden</i>
<i>Tom Sannicandro</i>	<i>7th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>

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By Ms. Gobi, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 413) of Anne M. Gobi, Marc R. Pacheco, James B. Eldridge, Michael O. Moore and other members of the General Court for legislation to enhance the management of problem wildlife. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 712 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**
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An Act to enhance the management of problem wildlife.

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 80A of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof, the following new paragraph: -

3 Any person issued a permit as provided by this section shall, within thirty days of the
4 expiration of such permit or extension of same shall report to the director of the division of
5 fisheries and wildlife, on a form approved by said director, the municipality of which the request
6 was made, the name of the property owner, address of the property threatened, the name of
7 authorized agent, method used to alleviate the problem, and the number and species of animals
8 taken pursuant to the permit, and other information deemed necessary by the director.