

SENATE No. 806

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 heroin trafficking.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<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. 806) of Benjamin B. Downing and Marjorie C. Decker for legislation relative to heroin trafficking. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 724 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to heroin trafficking.

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 32E of chapter 94C of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 192 of the acts
2 of 2012, is hereby amended by striking out, in subsection (c), in each instance, the figure “18”
3 and inserting in place thereof the following figure: “6”.

4 And further by inserting after subsection (c), the following paragraph:-

5 (1) Six grams or more but less than 18 grams, be punished by a term of imprisonment in
6 the state prison for not less than 2 nor more than 15 years and a fine of not less than \$2,500 nor
7 more than \$25,000 may be imposed.