

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1632**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Todd M. Smola***

*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 the Thames River Valley.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>	<i>1/19/2017</i>
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex</i>	

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By Mr. Smola of Warren, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1632) of Todd M. Smola and Anne M. Gobi that certain monies paid by the State of Connecticut for reimbursement of tax losses be distributed to the towns of Brimfield, Charlton, Holland, Southbridge, Sturbridge, Dudley and Oxford. Revenue.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2682 OF 2015-2016.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act relative to the Thames River Valley.

*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. Article V of section 1 of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1957 is hereby amended by  
2 inserting after the fourth sentence the following sentence:- Any sums the state of Connecticut  
3 pays to the Commonwealth for reimbursement of tax losses shall be distributed by the  
4 Commonwealth to the affected communities of Brimfield, Charlton, Holland, Southbridge,  
5 Sturbridge, Dudley and Oxford.