

HOUSE No. 204

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Aaron Vega

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 modifying the expiration of licenses to sell alcoholic liquors.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Aaron Vega

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

5th Hampden

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By Mr. Vega of Holyoke, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 204) of Aaron Vega relative to the expiration of certain licenses to sell alcoholic beverages. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)**

An Act modifying the expiration of licenses to sell alcoholic liquors.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Chapter 138, Section 23, of the General Laws will be amended by adding the following
2 language at the end of the 11th paragraph, after the word "term.":

3 "However, should a municipality's licensing authorities choose to stagger said expiration
4 dates to coincide with the anniversary of the issuance of these permits, they may do so by
5 providing the license-holder notification of the expected expiration date at the time of the
6 granting of the permit."