

HOUSE No. 2435

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Linda Dean Campbell

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 drug overdose deaths.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>	<i>1/19/2017</i>
<i>Mathew Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>	
<i>Sheila C. Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>	
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	
<i>Michael S. Day</i>	<i>31st Middlesex</i>	
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>	

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By Mrs. Campbell of Methuen, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2435) of Linda Dean Campbell and others relative to the reporting of drug overdose deaths. Public Health.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1897 OF 2015-2016.]

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

An Act relative to drug overdose deaths.

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 12A of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 4 by inserting after the word “firearm,” the following
3 words:-- or having examined or treated a person suspected of dying from injuries resulting from
4 opiate, illegal or illicit drug overdose,