## **HOUSE . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . No. 3470**

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul McMurtry

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 claiming charitable raffle prizes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
Paul McMurtry	11th Norfolk	1/20/2017
Jeffrey N. Roy	10th Norfolk	
Brian M. Ashe	2nd Hampden	

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By Mr. McMurtry of Dedham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3470) of Paul McMurtry, Jeffrey N. Roy and Brian M. Ashe relative to claiming charitable raffle prizes. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

## The Commonwealth of Alassachusetts

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

An Act relative to claiming charitable raffle prizes.

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 7A of chapter 271 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition,
- 2 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-
- An organization, society, church or club sponsoring and conducting a raffle pursuant to
- 4 this section shall retain unclaimed prizes or prize money valued at or exceeding \$600 for a period
- 5 of 1 year after the drawing in which the prize or prize money was won, and shall provide public
- 6 notice of the winning ticket for said period of 1 year.