

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 421**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Paul K. Frost*

*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 beavers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>	<i>1/19/2017</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/31/2017</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/19/2017</i>

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By Mr. Frost of Auburn, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 421) of Paul K. Frost, Shawn Dooley and Thomas M. Stanley for legislation to repeal the law relative to the use of leghold traps for capturing furbearing animals. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 673 OF 2015-2016.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

*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 Section 80A of chapter 131 of the General Laws is hereby repealed.