

HOUSE No. 949

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Byron Rushing

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 reform of archaic laws implicating certain private consensual intimate conduct between adults.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Byron Rushing</i>	<i>9th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>John W. Scibak</i>	<i>2nd Hampshire</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>William N. Brownsberger</i>	<i>Second Suffolk and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Lori A. Ehrlich</i>	<i>8th Essex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Kenneth I. Gordon</i>	<i>21st Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Ruth B. Balsler</i>	<i>12th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Solomon Goldstein-Rose</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Danielle W. Gregoire</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Jonathan Hecht</i>	<i>29th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Barbara A. L'Italien</i>	<i>Second Essex and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2017</i>

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By Mr. Rushing of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 949) of Byron Rushing and others relative to the laws implicating certain private consensual intimate conduct between adults. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1572 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 reform of archaic laws implicating certain private consensual intimate conduct between adults.

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 34 of chapter 272 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
2 Official Edition, is hereby repealed.

3 SECTION 2. Section 35 of chapter 272 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
4 Official Edition, is hereby repealed.