

**SENATE . . . . . No. 108**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Julian Cyr*

*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 safe use of hand-held devices by children.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Julian Cyr</i>	<i>Cape and Islands</i>	
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>

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By Mr. Cyr, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 108) of Julian Cyr and Timothy R. Whelan for legislation relative to cell phone distributors disclosure of RF radiation. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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

An Act relative to the safe use of hand-held devices by children.

*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 93 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 114 the  
2 following new section:-

3 Section 115. All mobile telephones sold or leased at a point of sale or retail  
4 establishment in the commonwealth shall clearly and conspicuously disclose, on product  
5 packaging, the following notice to consumers:-

6 "To assure safety, the Federal Government requires that cell phones meet radio frequency  
7 (RF) exposure guidelines. If you carry or use your phone in a pocket or the phone is otherwise in  
8 contact with your body when the phone is on and connected to a wireless network, you may  
9 exceed the federal guidelines for exposure to RF radiation. Refer to the instructions in your  
10 phone or user manual for information about how to use your phone safely."