

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1145**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Mark C. Montigny***

*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 enhancing the issuance of citations for cruel conditions for animals.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                          | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:                     |                  |
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| <i>Mark C. Montigny</i>        | <i>Second Bristol and Plymouth</i>    |                  |
| <i>Jack Lewis</i>              | <i>7th Middlesex</i>                  | <i>1/24/2017</i> |
| <i>James B. Eldridge</i>       | <i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>        | <i>1/26/2017</i> |
| <i>Lori A. Ehrlich</i>         | <i>8th Essex</i>                      | <i>1/27/2017</i> |
| <i>Daniel J. Ryan</i>          | <i>2nd Suffolk</i>                    | <i>1/27/2017</i> |
| <i>William N. Brownsberger</i> | <i>Second Suffolk and Middlesex</i>   | <i>1/28/2017</i> |
| <i>James R. Miceli</i>         | <i>19th Middlesex</i>                 | <i>1/29/2017</i> |
| <i>Donald F. Humason, Jr.</i>  | <i>Second Hampden and Hampshire</i>   | <i>1/30/2017</i> |
| <i>John J. Lawn, Jr.</i>       | <i>10th Middlesex</i>                 | <i>1/30/2017</i> |
| <i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>      | <i>25th Middlesex</i>                 | <i>1/31/2017</i> |
| <i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>     | <i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>           | <i>2/1/2017</i>  |
| <i>Jason M. Lewis</i>          | <i>Fifth Middlesex</i>                | <i>2/1/2017</i>  |
| <i>Diana DiZoglio</i>          | <i>14th Essex</i>                     | <i>2/1/2017</i>  |
| <i>Richard J. Ross</i>         | <i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i> | <i>2/1/2017</i>  |
| <i>Paul R. Heroux</i>          | <i>2nd Bristol</i>                    | <i>2/2/2017</i>  |
| <i>Thomas J. Calter</i>        | <i>12th Plymouth</i>                  | <i>2/2/2017</i>  |
| <i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>     | <i>15th Essex</i>                     | <i>2/2/2017</i>  |
| <i>Sean Garballey</i>          | <i>23rd Middlesex</i>                 | <i>2/3/2017</i>  |

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| <i>Denise Provost</i>     | <i>27th Middlesex</i>   | <i>2/3/2017</i>  |
| <i>Patricia D. Jehlen</i> | <i>Second Middlesex</i> | <i>2/3/2017</i>  |
| <i>James Arciero</i>      | <i>2nd Middlesex</i>    | <i>2/3/2017</i>  |
| <i>Michael O. Moore</i>   | <i>Second Worcester</i> | <i>2/6/2017</i>  |
| <i>Sonia Chang-Diaz</i>   | <i>Second Suffolk</i>   | <i>3/10/2017</i> |
| <i>Natalie Higgins</i>    | <i>4th Worcester</i>    | <i>3/28/2017</i> |

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By Mr. Montigny, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1145) of Mark C. Montigny, Jack Lewis, James B. Eldridge, Lori A. Ehrlich and other members of the General Court for legislation to enhance the issuance of citations for cruel conditions for animals. Municipalities and Regional Government.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act enhancing the issuance of citations for cruel conditions for animals.

*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 174E of Chapter 140 of the General Laws as appearing in the 2016
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after subsection (h) the following subsection:
- 3 (i) Subpart (f)(1) of this section shall also apply to farm animals, as defined in 9
- 4 C.F.R. § 1.1 (2016).