

SENATE No. 422

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James B. Eldridge

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 underground storage tank remediation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>	<i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>	
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>

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By Mr. Eldridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 422) of James B. Eldridge and Denise Provost for legislation relative to underground storage tank remediation. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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

An Act relative to underground storage tank remediation.

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: Subsection (d) of section 9 of Chapter 21J of the General Laws, as
2 appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 25 and 29, the
3 words “property damage.”

4 SECTION 2: Section 5 of chapter 21O of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2014
5 Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 15 by inserting after the words “twenty-one E;” the
6 following:-

7 Provided, further, that such corrective action may include financial reimbursement to the
8 owners of surrounding property who have sustained property damage due to negligent release.