

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3279**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Michael S. Day*

*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 punishment of organized retail crimes.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Michael S. Day</i>	<i>31st Middlesex</i>	<i>1/16/2019</i>
<i>Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan</i>	<i>15 Commonwealth Ave Woburn, MA 01801</i>	<i>1/16/2019</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/29/2019</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>	<i>2/1/2019</i>

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By Mr. Day of Stoneham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3279) of Michael S. Day and others relative to the punishment of organized retail crimes. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to the punishment of organized retail crimes.

*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 (b) of § 30D of Chapter 266 of the General Laws, as appearing  
2 in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in the second sentence after the  
3 words “shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than 10 years” the  
4 following language: “or imprisonment in the house of correction for not more than 2 ½ years”.

5           SECTION 2. Subsection (c) of § 30D of Chapter 266 of the General Laws, as appearing  
6 in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in the second sentence after the  
7 words “shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for not more than 15 years” the  
8 following language: “or imprisonment in the house of correction for not more than 2 ½ years”.

9           SECTION 3. § 26 of Chapter 218 of the General Laws, as amended by St.2018, c. 69,  
10 §109, is hereby amended by inserting after the words “and sections sixteen, seventeen, eighteen,  
11 nineteen, twenty-eight, thirty” the following language: “thirty D”.