

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3533**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***David K. Muradian, Jr.***

*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 drug scheduling.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>David K. Muradian, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>
<i>Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>
<i>William L. Crocker, Jr.</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>
<i>Ryan C. Fattman</i>	<i>Worcester and Norfolk</i>
<i>Randy Hunt</i>	<i>5th Barnstable</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>

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By Mr. Muradian of Grafton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3533) of David K. Muradian, Jr. and others relative to prohibiting the classification of marijuana from being linked to the federal scheduling system. Cannabis Policy.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to drug scheduling.

*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. Said section 31 of said chapter 94C, as so appearing, is hereby further  
2 amended by adding to “CLASS B” the following subsection:-

3 (f) Any substance controlled in Schedule III of Title 21 of the Code of Federal  
4 Regulations Part 1308.13, unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another class in this  
5 section.

6 SECTION 2. Said section 31 of said chapter 94C, as so appearing, is hereby further  
7 amended by adding to “CLASS C” the following subsection:-

8 (g) Any substance controlled in Schedule IV of Title 21 of the Code of Federal  
9 Regulations Part 1308.14, unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another class in this  
10 section.

11 SECTION 3. Said section 31 of said chapter 94C, as so appearing, is hereby further  
12 amended by adding to “CLASS D” the following subsection:-

13 (c) Any substance controlled in Schedule V of Title 21 of the Code of Federal  
14 Regulations Part 1308.15, unless specifically excepted or unless listed in another class in this  
15 section.

16 SECTION 4. Said section 31 of said chapter 94C, as so appearing, is hereby further  
17 amended by inserting after “CLASS E” the following:-

18 Notwithstanding any special or general law to the contrary, under no circumstances shall  
19 the classification of marijuana be linked to the federal scheduling system as determined by Title  
20 21 of the Code of Federal Regulations Part 1308.11.