

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 976**

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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 the use of shotguns.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>David K. Muradian, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>	<i>1/25/2021</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>2/24/2021</i>
<i>Michael J. Soter</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>	<i>2/24/2021</i>
<i>David Allen Robertson</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/25/2021</i>
<i>Jonathan D. Zlotnik</i>	<i>2nd Worcester</i>	<i>2/26/2021</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	<i>3/18/2021</i>
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>	<i>3/18/2021</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>	<i>3/19/2021</i>
<i>Norman J. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>3/31/2021</i>

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By Mr. Muradian of Grafton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 976) of David K. Muradian, Jr., and others relative to the promulgation of regulations by the Director of Fisheries and Wildlife within the Department of Fisheries, Wildlife and Environmental Law Enforcement for the use and possession of shotgun ammunition types for the purposes of hunting. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 835 OF 2019-2020.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act relative to the use of shotguns.

*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 66 of chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012  
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking the section in its entirety and replacing it with the  
3 following:-

4           "Section 66. The director, under the control of the board, may promulgate regulations for  
5 the use and possession of shotgun ammunition types for the purposes of hunting."