

HOUSE No. 1618

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Jack Patrick Lewis and Samantha Montaño

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 repealing homophobic and transphobic laws.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i>	<i>7th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/18/2023</i>
<i>Samantha Montaño</i>	<i>15th Suffolk</i>	<i>1/20/2023</i>
<i>Natalie M. Higgins</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>	<i>1/20/2023</i>
<i>Mindy Domb</i>	<i>3rd Hampshire</i>	<i>1/22/2023</i>
<i>Rebecca L. Rausch</i>	<i>Norfolk, Worcester and Middlesex</i>	<i>1/22/2023</i>
<i>Julian Cyr</i>	<i>Cape and Islands</i>	<i>5/1/2023</i>

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By Representatives Lewis of Framingham and Montaño of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1618) of Jack Patrick Lewis, Samantha Montaño and others for legislation to repeal certain laws prohibiting acts performed with other persons or animals. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act repealing homophobic and transphobic laws.

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 Section 34 of Chapter 272 of the General Laws is hereby repealed.

- 2 SECTION 2. Section 35 of Chapter 272 of the General Laws is hereby repealed.