

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3096**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Tram T. Nguyen***

*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 establishing the official amphibian of the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Tram T. Nguyen</i>	<i>18th Essex</i>	<i>1/14/2023</i>
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>	<i>3/1/2023</i>
<i>Jack Patrick Lewis</i>	<i>7th Middlesex</i>	<i>3/7/2023</i>
<i>Kate Donaghue</i>	<i>19th Worcester</i>	<i>3/28/2023</i>
<i>Carmine Lawrence Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>	<i>3/30/2023</i>
<i>Estela A. Reyes</i>	<i>4th Essex</i>	<i>9/28/2023</i>
<i>David Paul Linsky</i>	<i>5th Middlesex</i>	<i>10/2/2023</i>
<i>Rodney M. Elliott</i>	<i>16th Middlesex</i>	<i>10/4/2023</i>

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By Representative Nguyen of Andover, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3096) of Tram T. Nguyen, Hannah Kane and Jack Patrick Lewis for legislation to designate the blue-spotted salamander as the official amphibian of the Commonwealth. State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court  
(2023-2024)**  
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An Act establishing the official amphibian of the Commonwealth.

*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. Chapter 2 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following  
2 section:-

3           The blue-spotted salamander shall be the official amphibian of the commonwealth.