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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Barry R. Finegold

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 to establish the blue-spotted salamander as the official amphibian of the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
Barry R. Finegold	*Second Essex and Middlesex*	
Hannah Kane	*11th Worcester*	*3/1/2023*
Jack Patrick Lewis	*7th Middlesex*	*3/7/2023*
James B. Eldridge	*Middlesex and Worcester*	*3/17/2023*

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By Mr. Finegold, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2006) of Barry R. Finegold, Hannah Kane and Jack Patrick Lewis for legislation to establish 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)

An Act to establish the blue-spotted salamander as 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:

Chapter 2 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2022 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after section 64 the following section:-

Section 65. Amphibian of commonwealth

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