

HOUSE No. 2568

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christine P. Barber

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 requiring carbon monoxide alarms in all residential, governmental and commercial structures.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christine P. Barber</i>	<i>34th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/14/2025</i>
<i>Paul J. Donato</i>	<i>35th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/3/2025</i>
<i>Rodney M. Elliott</i>	<i>16th Middlesex</i>	<i>7/14/2025</i>
<i>Patrick Joseph Kearney</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/31/2025</i>

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By Representative Barber of Somerville, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2568) of Christine P. Barber, Paul J. Donato and Patrick Joseph Kearney for legislation requiring carbon monoxide alarms in all residential, governmental and commercial structures. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2292 OF 2023-2024.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**
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An Act requiring carbon monoxide alarms in all residential, governmental and commercial structures.

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 26F ½ of chapter 148 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 2 and 3, the words “occupied in
3 whole or in part for residential purposes.”

4 SECTION 2. Section 26F ½ of chapter 148 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
5 striking out, in lines 22 and 23, the words “occupied in whole or in part for residential purposes.”

6 SECTION 3. Section 26F ½ of chapter 148 of the General Laws is hereby amended by
7 striking out, in lines 29 and 30, the words “occupied in whole or in part for residential purposes.”