

HOUSE No. 385

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Christopher Hendricks

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 clarify the Consumer Protection Act.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Christopher Hendricks</i>	<i>11th Bristol</i>	<i>1/7/2025</i>

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By Representative Hendricks of New Bedford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 385) of Christopher Hendricks relative to civil actions for unfair or deceptive practices. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 319 OF 2023-2024.]

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Fourth General Court
(2025-2026)**

An Act to clarify the Consumer Protection Act.

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 9 (3) of General Laws, Chapter 93A, as most recently amended, is
2 amended by inserting “or arbitration award” after the word “judgment” in the fourth sentence.

3 SECTION 2. Section 11 of General Laws, Chapter 93A, as most recently amended, is
4 amended by inserting “or arbitration award” after the word “judgment” in the second sentence of
5 the fifth paragraph.