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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Jennifer E. Benson***

*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 relative to updating the election laws.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>
<i>Cory Atkins</i>	<i>14th Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy R. Madden</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>Denise Andrews</i>	<i>2nd Franklin</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Diana DiZoglio</i>	<i>14th Essex</i>
<i>Kay Khan</i>	<i>11th Middlesex</i>

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By Ms. Benson of Lunenburg, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 562) of Jennifer E. Benson and others relative to the number of hours that polls are open for regional school district elections. Election Laws.

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to updating the election 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. Subsection (n) of Section 16 of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, is hereby  
2 amended by striking out "eight" and inserting in place thereof: "thirteen".