

HOUSE No. 2249

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:
David P. Linsky

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 passage of the accompanying bill:
An Act to close a loophole in the assault weapons ban and further reduce gun violence in the Commonwealth.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
David P. Linsky	5th Middlesex
Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.	26th Middlesex
Denise Provost	27th Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2343 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine
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AN ACT TO CLOSE A LOOPHOLE IN THE ASSAULT WEAPONS BAN AND FURTHER
REDUCE GUN VIOLENCE IN 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:*

SECTION 1. Section 123 of chapter 140 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking in clause 16 the words:- “that was not otherwise lawfully possessed on September 13, 1994”, and inserting in place thereof the following:— “unless such sale, lease, rent, transfer or delivery is made to a law enforcement agency.”