

PETITION FOR RELIEF FROM PROHIBITION ON ABILITY TO POSSESS A FIREARM, RIFLE OR SHOTGUN G.L. c. 123, §§ 35, 36C	IN THE MATTER OF (Petitioner's Name) DOCKET NO. (To Be Completed by Court Only)	Massachusetts Trial Court COURT DEPARTMENT <input type="checkbox"/> District Court <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile Court <input type="checkbox"/> Boston Municipal Court
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I am asking this Court to remove the prohibition on my ability to possess a firearm, rifle, or shotgun, as permitted by G.L. c. 123, §§ 35 or 36C. In support of that request, I state the following:

☐ On Docket No. _____, this Court ordered that I be committed on _____ date, which is 5 years or more before the date I am filing this petition.

☐ I am filing this petition in the same Court that ordered my commitment. *(The petition must be filed in the court that ordered your commitment)*

☐ This Court committed me:

☐ Based on a finding involving mental health, under one of the following statutes:
☐ G.L. c. 123, §§ 7 & 8 ☐ G.L. c. 123, § 12(e) ☐ G.L. c. 123, § 15(b)
☐ G.L. c. 123, § 16(b) or (c) ☐ G.L. c. 123, § 18

☐ Based on a finding of an alcohol use disorder or substance abuse disorder or both under G.L. c. 123, § 35.

☐ I am also filing the attached affidavit and any additional supporting evidence which includes *(check all that apply)*:

☐ Evidence from a licensed physician or clinical psychologist that I am no longer suffering from the disease or condition that served as the basis for the commitment.
☐ Evidence from a licensed physician or clinical psychologist that the disease or condition that served as the basis for the commitment has been successfully treated for a period of 3 consecutive years.
☐ Other information described in the attached affidavit or other supporting evidence.

☐ Based upon the circumstances of my disqualifying condition and my record and reputation, I am not likely to act in a way that is dangerous to public safety and granting me relief would not be against the public interest.

Information for the Petitioner

- This petition **only asks the Court to restore your ability to be issued** a firearm identification card or license to carry.
- If this petition is allowed, **you must then comply with G.L. c. 140, §§ 129B, 131, 131F, and any other applicable laws** to apply for and be issued a firearm identification card or license to carry.

SIGNED UNDER THE PAINS AND PENALTIES OF PERJURY				
DATE SIGNED	PETITIONER'S SIGNATURE	PETITIONER'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER		
PETITIONER'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	PETITIONER'S DATE OF BIRTH	
PETITIONER'S ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	
PETITIONER'S CELL PHONE NUMBER	PETITIONER'S HOME PHONE NUMBER	PETITIONER'S WORK PHONE NUMBER		
PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY'S NAME (if applicable)	PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY'S ADDRESS (if applicable)	PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY'S PHONE (if applicable)		