

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1149**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

*James Arciero*

*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 court fees.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*James Arciero*

*T. J. Woods*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*2nd Middlesex*

*75 Tenney Road*

*Westford, MA 01886*

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By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1149) of James Arciero and T. J. Woods for legislation to require the refunding of court fees for persons found innocent of civil motor vehicle infractions. The Judiciary.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to court fees.

*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 3 of Chapter 90C of the Massachusetts general laws is hereby  
2 amended by adding at the end of Paragraph (4) of Subsection (A), the following:

3           In the event the alleged violator is found innocent of the infraction, the court fee of \$25  
4 will be fully refunded.