

HOUSE No. 1668

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Timothy R. Whelan

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 affecting municipal rights regarding medical marijuana.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Whelan of Brewster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1668) of Timothy R. Whelan, Keiko M. Orrall and Bruce E. Tarr relative to restricting the use of marijuana. The Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1663 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**
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An Act to affecting municipal rights regarding medical marijuana.

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. Notwithstanding any law or special law to the contrary, cities, towns,
2 districts, school districts or regional school districts may regulate, including prohibiting, the use
3 of marijuana, including medical use of marijuana used for medicinal purposes. Prohibition of the
4 use of or smoking marijuana, including medical use of marijuana on public property, shall not be
5 deemed to be discrimination due to a medical condition under the laws of the commonwealth.

6 SECTION 2. This Act shall take effect upon its passage.