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HOUSE No. 2067

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

David M. Rogers and Patricia D. Jehlen

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 establish a division of indoor environments within the Department of Public Health.

PETITION OF:

Name:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
David M. Rogers	24th Middlesex
Patricia D. Jehlen	Second Middlesex
William N. Brownsberger	Second Suffolk and Middlesex
Jonathan Hecht	29th Middlesex
Sal N. DiDomenico	Middlesex and Suffolk
Sean Garballey	23rd Middlesex
Brian R. Mannal	2nd Barnstable

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By Mr. Rogers of Cambridge and Senator Jehlen, a joint petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2067) of David M. Rogers and others for legislation to establish a division of indoor environments within the Department of Public Health. Public Health.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen

An Act to establish a division of indoor environments within the Department of Public Health.

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. Chapter 111 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after Section 224 the following section:-
- 3 Section 225. (a) Notwithstanding any general law, special law or regulation to the
- 4 contrary, there shall be within the Department of Public Health a Division of Indoor
- 5 Environments within the Center for Environmental Health. The Commissioner of the Department
- 6 of Public Health shall appoint the Director of the Division of Indoor Environments.
- (b) The Division of Indoor Environments shall administer and enforce any existing laws and regulations relating to indoor air quality.