

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 2538**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Thomas P. Walsh***

*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 establishing the Massachusetts Law Enforcement Memorial Fund.

PETITION OF:

| NAME:                     | DISTRICT/ADDRESS:   | DATE ADDED:      |
|---------------------------|---|------------------|
| <i>Thomas P. Walsh</i>    | <i>12th Essex</i>   | <i>2/12/2021</i> |
| <i>John Nelson</i>        | <i>Massachusetts Coalition of Police<br/>P.O. Box 768 Millbury, MA 01527</i>                    | <i>2/12/2021</i> |
| <i>Larry Calderone</i>    | <i>Boston Police Patrolmen's<br/>Association, 295 Freeport Street<br/>Boston, MA 02122</i>      | <i>2/12/2021</i> |
| <i>Michael Muse</i>       | <i>Boston Police Detectives Benevolent<br/>Society, 434 Hyde Park Avenue<br/>Roslindale, MA</i> | <i>2/12/2021</i> |
| <i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i> | <i>8th Plymouth</i>   | <i>2/25/2021</i> |
| <i>Hannah Kane</i>        | <i>11th Worcester</i>   | <i>3/16/2021</i> |

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By Mr. Walsh of Peabody, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2538) of Thomas P. Walsh and others for legislation to establish the Massachusetts law enforcement memorial fund. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 2149 OF 2019-2020.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act establishing the Massachusetts Law Enforcement Memorial Fund.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Chapter 10 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 35BB the  
2 following section:

3 Section 35CC. There shall be established and set up on the books of the commonwealth a  
4 separate fund to be known as the Massachusetts Law Enforcement Memorial Fund to be used  
5 without appropriation by a department of public safety for the purpose of making annual  
6 payments to the Massachusetts Law Enforcement Memorial to memorialize and honor  
7 Massachusetts law enforcement personnel killed in the line of duty. There shall be credited to the  
8 fund revenues received by the commonwealth from the sale of registration plates under section  
9 2G of chapter 90.