

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3186**

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Hannah Kane***

*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 the marijuana tax rate.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Hannah Kane</i>	<i>11th Worcester</i>
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>
<i>Thomas J. Calter</i>	<i>12th Plymouth</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>William Crocker</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>
<i>Josh S. Cutler</i>	<i>6th Plymouth</i>
<i>Michael S. Day</i>	<i>31st Middlesex</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>
<i>Geoff Diehl</i>	<i>7th Plymouth</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Denise C. Garlick</i>	<i>13th Norfolk</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>Sheila C. Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>

<i>James J. Lyons, Jr.</i>	<i>18th Essex</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Mathew Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>
<i>David M. Nangle</i>	<i>17th Middlesex</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>
<i>John C. Velis</i>	<i>4th Hampden</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>

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By Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3186) of Hannah Kane and others relative to adjusting the recreational marijuana tax structure. Marijuana Policy.

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**

An Act relative to the marijuana tax rate.

*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. The secretary of the executive office of administration and finance, in  
2 conjunction with the treasurer and receiver general, shall create a commission to review the  
3 existing tax rate structure to be imposed upon the sale of marijuana or marijuana products by a  
4 marijuana retailer to anyone other than a marijuana establishment. The commission may make  
5 recommendations relative to adjusting the recreational marijuana tax structure.

6           SECTION 2. The secretary of the office of administration and finance shall file a report  
7 with the both branches of the legislature, the joint committee on revenue, the house committee  
8 on ways and means and the senate committee on ways and means by September 1, 2017 with  
9 their recommendations.