

HOUSE No. 00430

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

James J. Dwyer

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 relative to Parole Board membership and reporting.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>Stephen L. DiNatale</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Marc Lombardo</i>	<i>22nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Thomas M. Stanley</i>	<i>9th Middlesex</i>
<i>Geoff Diehl</i>	<i>7th Plymouth</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christopher Markey</i>	<i>9th Bristol</i>
<i>Dennis A. Rosa</i>	<i>4th Worcester</i>
<i>James Arciero</i>	<i>2nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Michael D. Brady</i>	<i>9th Plymouth</i>
<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Christopher G. Fallon</i>	<i>33rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Sean Garballey</i>	<i>23rd Middlesex</i>
<i>Bradley H. Jones, Jr.</i>	<i>20th Middlesex</i>
<i>Steven L. Levy</i>	<i>4th Middlesex</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>

Walter F. Timitly

7th Norfolk

Nick Collins

4th Suffolk

James R. Miceli

19th Middlesex

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By Mr. James J. Dwyer of Woburn, petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 00430) of Walter F. Timilty and others relative to the membership of the Parole Board and reporting requirements..
Joint Committee on the Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to Parole Board membership and reporting.

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 4 of chapter 27 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2008 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 41 and 42, the words “the governor may
3 designate one of the members to act as chairman during such an absence or disability” and
4 inserting in place thereof the following:-

5 the member with the most service time as a member of said board shall act as chairman during
6 such absence or disability.

7 SECTION 2. Said section 4 of said chapter 27, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by
8 inserting after the word “office” in line 47 the following words:-

9 private employment,

10 SECTION 3. Section 131A of chapter 127 of the General Laws, as so appearing, is hereby
11 amended by inserting after the word “thereof”, in line 5, the following words: -
12 and shall include the parolee’s address of primary residence, and any addresses of secondary
13 residence. Not less than 24 hours following the effective date of any employment, the parole
14 officer assigned to the parolee shall notify in writing the department of state police, the police
15 department in the city or town to which the parolee will return of such parole, and the district
16 court with jurisdiction in the city or town to which the parolee will return of such employment.