

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 00473**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Harold P. Naughton, Jr.*

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*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 background checks for grid workers..

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Harold P. Naughton, Jr.*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*12th Worcester*

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By Mr. Naughton, Jr. of Clinton, petition (accompanied by Bill, House, No. 00473) of Harold P. Naughton, Jr. relative to background checks for utility grid workers. Joint Committee on the Judiciary.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE  
□ HOUSE  
□ , NO. 1542 OF 2009-2010.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand Eleven**  
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An Act relative to background checks for grid workers..

*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. No General or Special Law withstanding; No person shall engage in the repair,
- 2 maintenance, installation or construction in any capacity whatsoever of the Utility Distribution
- 3 System unless and until that person has undergone a security review conducted by the
- 4 Department of Public Safety and has been certified in writing by that department. Such
- 5 certification shall be in writing and shall be kept on file in the Secretary of Public Safety office.