

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1187**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Anne M. Gobi*

*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 membership of the conservation commission of the town of Charlton.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Anne M. Gobi*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex*

**SENATE . . . . . No. 1187**

By Ms. Gobi, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1187) of Anne M. Gobi for legislation relative to the membership of the conservation commission of the town of Charlton. Municipalities and Regional Government. [Local Approval Received.]

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 2660 OF 2017-2018.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)  
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An Act relative to the membership of the conservation commission of the town of Charlton.

*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. Notwithstanding section 8C of chapter 40 of the General Laws, the board of  
2 selectmen of the town of Charlton may appoint 2 alternate members of the conservation  
3 commission of the town for staggered terms not to exceed 3 years.

4           The chair of the conservation commission may designate an alternate member to sit on  
5 the commission in the case of absence, inability to act or conflict of interest on the part of a  
6 member of the commission or, in the event of a vacancy on the conservation commission, until  
7 the vacancy is filled in under said section 8C of said chapter 40.

8           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.