

SENATE No. 161

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John F. Keenan

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 further defining gas fitting under the regulation of plumbing.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

John F. Keenan

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk and Plymouth

SENATE No. 161

By Mr. Keenan, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 161) of John F. Keenan for legislation to further define gas fitting under the regulation of plumbing. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 112 OF 2013-2014.]

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act further defining gas fitting under the regulation of plumbing.

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 1 of chapter 142 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out lines 18-25 and inserting in place thereof the
3 following:-

4 "Gas fitting", any work which includes the installation, alteration, and replacement of a
5 piping system beyond the gas meter outlet or regulator through which is conveyed or intended to
6 be conveyed radon gas or fuel gas of any kind, including methane gas, for power, refrigeration,
7 heating or illuminating purposes including the connection therewith and testing of gas fixtures,
8 ranges, refrigerators, stoves, water heaters, house heating boilers, and any other gas using
9 appliances, and the maintenance in good and safe condition of said systems, and the making of
10 necessary repairs and changes.