

SENATE No. 1872

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Joan B. Lovely

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 taxation of cider.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Joan B. Lovely

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Essex

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By Ms. Lovely, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1872) of Joan B. Lovely for legislation relative to the taxation of cider. Revenue.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. 1921 OF 2021-2022.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act relative to the taxation of cider.

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 21 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2020
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 20 and 21, the words “six per cent of
3 alcohol by weight” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- 8 1/2 per cent alcohol by
4 volume.

5 SECTION 2. Said section 21 of said chapter 138, as so appearing, is hereby further
6 amended by striking out, in line 25, the word “six” and inserting in place thereof the following
7 figure:- 8 1/2.