

SENATE No. 413

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 to enhance the management of problem wildlife.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Anne M. Gobi</i>	<i>Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Middlesex</i>
<i>Marc R. Pacheco</i>	<i>First Plymouth and Bristol</i>
<i>James B. Eldridge</i>	<i>Middlesex and Worcester</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>
<i>Robert L. Hedlund</i>	<i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>
<i>Timothy R. Madden</i>	<i>Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket</i>
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>
<i>Denise Provost</i>	<i>27th Middlesex</i>
<i>Mark J. Cusack</i>	<i>5th Norfolk</i>
<i>Lori A. Ehrlich</i>	<i>8th Essex</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jonathan Hecht</i>	<i>29th Middlesex</i>
<i>James M. Cantwell</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>William Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>
<i>David M. Rogers</i>	<i>24th Middlesex</i>
<i>James J. Dwyer</i>	<i>30th Middlesex</i>

<i>Carolyn C. Dykema</i>	<i>8th Middlesex</i>
<i>Kimberly N. Ferguson</i>	<i>1st Worcester</i>
<i>Timothy J. Toomey, Jr.</i>	<i>26th Middlesex</i>

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By Ms. Gobi, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 413) of Anne M. Gobi, Marc R. Pacheco, James B. Eldridge, Michael O. Moore and other members of the General Court for legislation to enhance the management of problem wildlife. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 712 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act to enhance the management of problem wildlife.

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 80A of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof, the following new paragraph: -

3 Any person issued a permit as provided by this section shall, within thirty days of the
4 expiration of such permit or extension of same shall report to the director of the division of
5 fisheries and wildlife, on a form approved by said director, the municipality of which the request
6 was made, the name of the property owner, address of the property threatened, the name of
7 authorized agent, method used to alleviate the problem, and the number and species of animals
8 taken pursuant to the permit, and other information deemed necessary by the director.