

**SENATE . . . . . No. 443**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

***William N. Brownsberger, (BY REQUEST)***

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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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act allowing parties to nominate candidates to their own primaries by additional means.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Walter Ziobro*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*93 Jensen Rd, Watertown, MA 02472*

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By Mr. Brownsberger (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 443) of Walter Ziobro for legislation to allow parties to nominate candidates to their own primaries by additional means. Election Laws.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court  
(2021-2022)**  
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An Act allowing parties to nominate candidates to their own primaries by additional means.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Title VIII. Chapter 53, Section 44 is hereby amended by adding the following words:
- 2 Political parties may make additional nominations of candidates to their own state
- 3 primaries by means other than nomination papers, provided that the rules for such nominations
- 4 be submitted to the Secretary no later than the first day that nomination papers are required to be
- 5 available.