

SENATE No. 712

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael O. Moore

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 housing and redevelopment authority vacancies.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Paul K. Frost</i>	<i>7th Worcester</i>
<i>Jose F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>
<i>Mary S. Keefe</i>	<i>15th Worcester</i>
<i>Chris Walsh</i>	<i>6th Middlesex</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>
<i>Jason M. Lewis</i>	<i>Fifth Middlesex</i>

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By Mr. Moore, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 712) of Michael O. Moore, Paul K. Frost, Jose F. Tosado, Mary S. Keefe and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to housing and redevelopment authority vacancies. Housing.

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

An Act relative to housing and redevelopment authority vacancies.

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

1 The fourth paragraph of section 5 of chapter 121B, as appearing in the 2012 Official
2 Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence:- If the department does not fill a
3 vacancy within 120 days from the date that a vacancy is created, the board of selectmen shall in
4 writing appoint a person by a majority vote to fill such vacancy for the unexpired portion of the
5 term.