SENATE No. 00836

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Anthony W. Petruccelli

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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to including machetes in the dangerous weapons law.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Anthony W. Petruccelli	First Suffolk and Middlesex
Eileen M. Donoghue	First Middlesex

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By Mr. Petruccelli, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 836) of Donoghue and Petruccelli for legislation to include machetes under the dangerous weapon law [Joint Committee on the Judiciary].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE

□ SENATE
□ , NO. *1795* OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to including machetes in the dangerous weapons law.

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 10 of chapter 269 of the General Laws is hereby amended, in
- 2 subparagraph (b), by inserting after the word "vehicle", in the first sentence, the following
- 3 words: a machete, or