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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Michael J. Moran**

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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 passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative for the redemption of scratch tickets .

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Michael J. Moran | 18th Suffolk |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative for the redemption of scratch tickets .

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

 SECTION 1. Section 29 of chapter 10 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004 Official Edition, is hereby amended, by inserting after the third paragraph, the following paragraph: -

No person who sells a winning scratch game ticket shall refuse to redeem the winning scratch game ticket for a period of up to one-half hour after the sale of such ticket.