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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

**Theodore C. Speliotis**

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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 to preservation commissions.

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PETITION OF:

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| Name: | District/Address: |
| Theodore C. Speliotis | 13th Essex |

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 1992 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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An Act relative to preservation commissions.

*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 8D of chapter 40 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the tenth sentence the following sentence:-

An alternate member shall be appointed in the same manner as in the case of original appointments; said member shall have the right to act and vote in the place of one regular member should such regular member be absent from a meeting.