

**HOUSE . . . . . No.**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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PRESENTED BY:

**Demetrius J. Atsalis**

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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 voting by sex offenders.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Demetrius J. Atsalis	Second Barnstable

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE HOUSE, NO. 4546 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 VOTING BY SEX OFFENDERS.

*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 I of chapter 51 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official  
2 Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word "conviction", in line 3, the following words:- or a  
3 registered voter subject or a registered voter subject to the registration requirements of M.G.L. Chapter  
4 6, Section 178 C-Q, whose assigned polling place is located in a school, library, or community center,  
5 shall be required to vote at a location determined by the elections division of a city or town."

6           SECTION 2. This act shall apply only to Level 3 registered sex offenders.