

SENATE No.

[LOCAL APPROVAL RECEIVED.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Mr. Brewer

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 Authorizing the Town of Charlton to Grant an Additional License for the Sale of All Alcoholic Beverages to be Drunk on the Premises. .

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Mr. Brewer	Worcester, Hampden, Hampshire and Franklin

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CHARLTON TO GRANT AN ADDITIONAL LICENSE FOR THE SALE OF ALL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE DRUNK ON THE PREMISES. .

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. Notwithstanding Section 17 of Chapter 138 of the General Laws, the licensing
2 authority of the town of Charlton may grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic
3 beverages to be drunk on the premises, to Masonic Health System of Massachusetts, Inc., and its
4 corporate affiliates, located on the 420 acre campus located at 88 Masonic Home Road in the
5 town of Charlton. The license shall be subject to all of said Chapter 138 except section 17. The
6 licensing authority shall not approve the transfer of the license to any other location.
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- 8 The license may be re-issued by the licensing authority at the same location if an applicant for
9 the license files with the licensing authority a letter in writing from the department of revenue
10 indicating that the license is in good standing with the department and that all applicable taxes
11 have been paid.
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- 13 If any license granted under this section is cancelled, revoked or no longer in use, such license
14 shall be returned physically, with all of the legal rights, privileges and restrictions pertaining
15 thereto, to the licensing authority, and the licensing authority may then grant the license to a new
16 applicant at the same location and under the same conditions as specified in this section.
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- 18 Upon issuance of the all alcoholic beverages license, Masonic Health Systems of Massachusetts,
19 Inc., shall return to the town the license for the sale of beer and wine to be drunk on the premises
20 that it currently holds.