

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Thomas M. McGee

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 the appointment of certain state racing commission members as special officers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

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DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Third Essex and Middlesex

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S01394 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

**AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE APPOINTMENT OF CERTAIN STATE RACING COMMISSION
MEMBERS AS SPECIAL OFFICERS.**

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

1 Chapter 22C of the Massachusetts General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following section:

2 **Section 70.** The colonel may, at the request of the Massachusetts state racing commission, appoint as
3 special state police officers employees of said racing commission holding the title of state inspector.

4 Such special state police officers shall serve for one year, subject to removal by the colonel, and they

5 shall have the same power to make arrests as the state police for any criminal offense committed in

6 connection with any activities operated or regulated by the state racing commission. They shall report to

7 the colonel as to their official acts at such times and in such manner as he may require. They shall serve

8 without pay, except their regular compensation as employees of said lottery commission, and they shall

9 receive no fees for service or return of any criminal process.

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