

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Morrissey, Michael (SEN)

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 payment of restitution for vandalism.

PETITION OF:

NAME: Morrissey, Michael (SEN)	DISTRICT/ADDRESS: Norfolk and Plymouth
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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE SENATE, NO. S00979 OF 2007-2008.]

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF RESTITUTION FOR VANDALISM.

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 126A of chapter 266 of the General Laws, as added by Section 174
2 of Chapter 60 of the Acts of 1994, is hereby amended by adding at the end of the first paragraph
3 the following new text:- The court shall order the convicted individual(s) to pay restitution to the
4 victim owners of the real or personal property damaged as a result of the crime.

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