

**SENATE . . . . . No.**

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**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 sale of alcoholic beverages to wholesalers.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Morrissey, Michael (SEN)

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Norfolk and Plymouth

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. S00199 OF 2007-2008.]

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**In the Year Two Thousand and Nine**

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AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO WHOLESALERS.

*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 25E of Chapter 138 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2004  
2   Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting in line 7, at the end of the sentence, the  
3   following sentence:- Any such manufacturer, winegrower, farmer-brewer, importer or wholesaler  
4   which obtains or acquires in any manner the right to sell, ship or distribute any such brand item  
5   shall for the purposes of this section stand in the place of, and be subject to all of the rights,  
6   privileges, duties and obligations of its predecessors from whom such brands items were  
7   obtained or acquired.