

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 1379**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

***Linda Dean Campbell***

*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 adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the reporting of drug overdose deaths.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>
<i>David Allen Robertson</i>	<i>19th Middlesex</i>
<i>Jeffrey N. Roy</i>	<i>10th Norfolk</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>
<i>Bud L. Williams</i>	<i>11th Hampden</i>

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By Mrs. Campbell of Methuen, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 1379) of Linda Dean Campbell and others relative to the reporting of drug overdose deaths. The Judiciary.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court  
(2019-2020)**  
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An Act relative to the reporting of drug overdose deaths.

*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 12A of Chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2016  
2   Official Edition, is hereby amended in line 4 by inserting after the word “firearm,” the following  
3   words:- "or having examined or treated a person suspected of dying from injuries resulting from  
4   opiate, illegal or illicit drug overdose,".