

HOUSE No. 2197

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Timothy R. Whelan

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 to promote school safety.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>
<i>Bruce E. Tarr</i>	<i>First Essex and Middlesex</i>
<i>Angelo L. D'Emilia</i>	<i>8th Plymouth</i>

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By Mr. Whelan of Brewster, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2197) of Timothy R. Whelan and others for legislation to authorize licensed, qualified retired law enforcement officers to carry firearms on the grounds of any elementary, secondary school, college or university. Public Safety and Homeland Security.

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court
(2015-2016)**

An Act to promote school safety.

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 10 of Chapter 269 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition
2 is hereby amended, in line 160 by inserting after the words "law enforcement officer" the words
3 ", or a retired law enforcement officer who meets the requirements of 501 CMR 13.02"