

HOUSE No. 264

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John W. Scibak

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 telemarketing solicitation.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

John W. Scibak

Carolyn C. Dykema

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

2nd Hampshire

8th Middlesex

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By Mr. Scibak of South Hadley, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 264) of John W. Scibak and Carolyn C. Dykema that telemarketers be required to use legitimate phone numbers so that consumers can directly communicate with solicitors. Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 285 OF 2013-2014.]

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

An Act relative to telemarketing solicitation.

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 4 of Chapter 159C of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following words:-
- 3 The telephone number listed in the identification service or device shall be a legitimate
- 4 number in which the consumer can directly communicate with the solicitor.