

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 3503**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

***Paul K. Frost, (BY REQUEST)***

*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 repealing the tax on tobacco.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Geoffrey Yalenezian*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

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By Mr. Frost of Auburn (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3503) of Geoffrey Yalenezian for legislation to repeal the tobacco tax. Revenue.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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**In the One Hundred and Eighty-Ninth General Court  
(2015-2016)**  
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An Act relative to repealing the tax on tobacco.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1           Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, there shall be no sales tax  
2 imposed upon tobacco products being offered for sale at retail or wholesale in the  
3 commonwealth; provided, that this sales tax exemption shall not affect the excise tax imposed  
4 pursuant to chapter 64C of the General Laws.