

**HOUSE . . . . . No. 506**

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

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PRESENTED BY:

*Walter F. Timilty*

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*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 a commission on advertisements.

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PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Walter F. Timilty*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*7th Norfolk*

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By Mr. Timilty of Milton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 506) of Walter F. Timilty establishing a special commission (including members of the General Court) to study the feasibility of permitting private sector advertising on city and town school buses. Education.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION

SEE

□ HOUSE  
□ , NO. 1072 OF 2011-2012.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the Year Two Thousand Thirteen**  
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An Act relative to a commission on advertisements.

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

1           There is hereby established a special commission to study the feasibility of permitting  
2 private sector advertising on city and town school buses. The Commission shall study and  
3 analyze whether private sector advertising on state websites is a practicable initiative to generate  
4 revenue.

5           The Commission shall consist of 3 members of the Senate, 5 members of the House of  
6 Representatives, and 3 persons to be appointed by the governor.

7           Said study shall include, but not be limited to, the issue of fair market compensation for  
8 use of state property, the ability to screen advertisements and the authority of state agencies to  
9 sell advertising space.

10          The Commission shall issue a report no later than 270 days after its first organizational  
11 meeting.