SENATE No. 01501

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Michael J. Rodrigues

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 the state lottery..

PETITION OF:

NAME:DISTRICT/ADDRESS:Michael J. RodriguesFirst Bristol and Plymouth

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By Mr. Rodrigues, petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 1501) of Rodrigues for legislation to redeem losing lottery tickets in the purchase of lottery tickets [Joint Committee on Revenue].

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION SEE O HOUSE , NO. 3611 OF 2009-2010.]

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In the Year Two Thousand Eleven

An Act relative to the state lottery..

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 27 of Chapter 10 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1996
- 2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:-
- 3 Losing scratch tickets, so-called, shall be redeemable by the licensee for the amount of
- 4 five cents per ticket to be used only for the purchase of a lottery ticket.