

**SENATE . . . . . No. 189**

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

PRESENTED BY:

*Jason M. Lewis*

*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 enhance education and combat addiction at slot parlors and casinos.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

*Jason M. Lewis*

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

*Fifth Middlesex*

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By Mr. Lewis, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 189) of Jason M. Lewis for legislation to enhance education and combat addiction at slot parlors and casinos. Economic Development and Emerging Technologies.

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[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION  
SEE SENATE, NO. 217 OF 2015-2016.]

**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

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**In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court  
(2017-2018)**  
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An Act to enhance education and combat addiction at slot parlors and casinos.

*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. Chapter 23K of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after  
2 section 58 the following section:-

3           Section 58a. (a) All slot machines must be affixed with a sticker delineating the (1)  
4 Addictive nature of slot machines; (2) Information regarding the programming and therefore  
5 non-randomness of slot machines; and (3) the compulsive gambling hotline phone number.

6           (b) The stickers shall be affixed to the front of the machine, in plain sight of the user of  
7 the machine.